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BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS,
Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

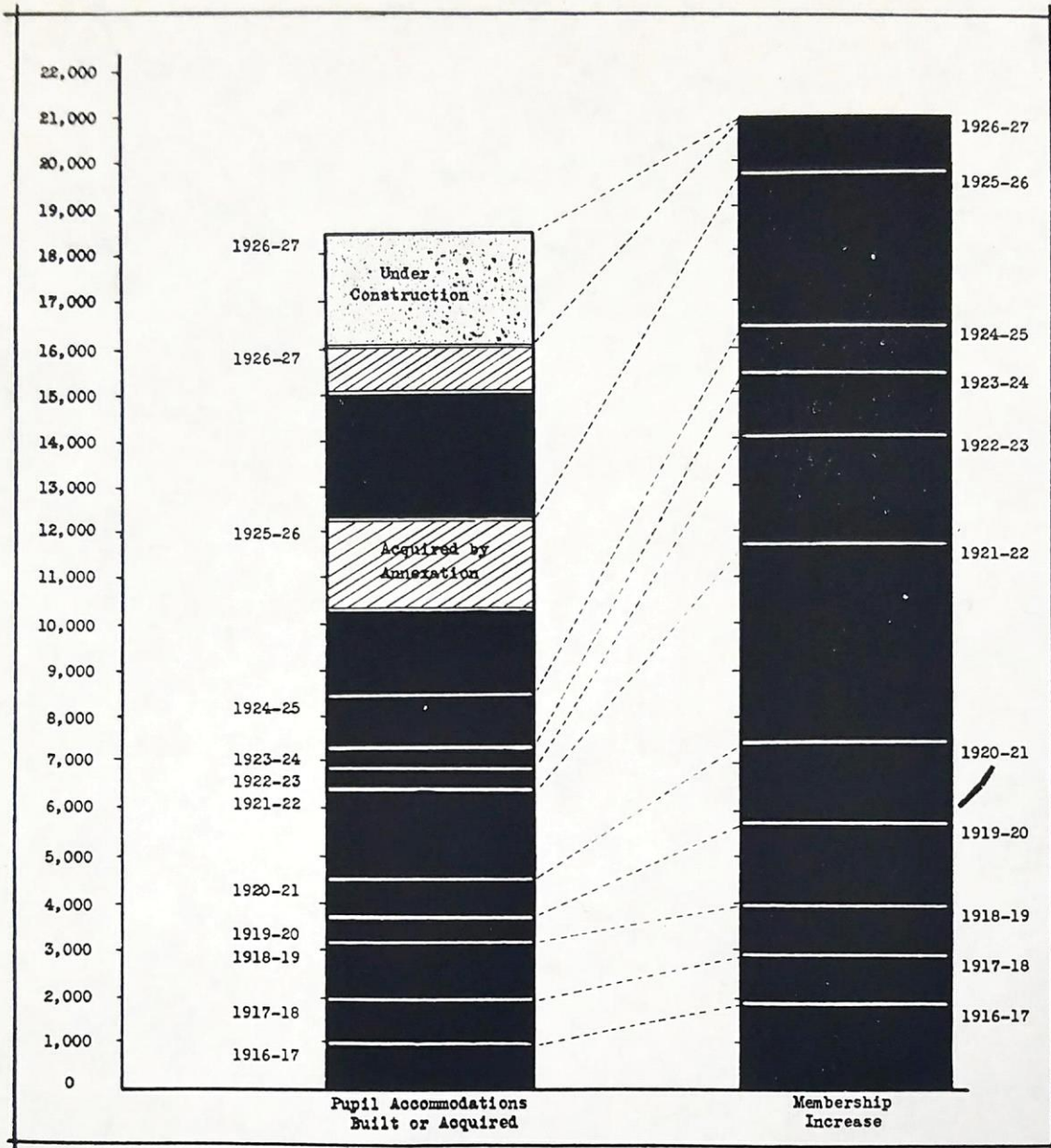
A year ago we pictured "the inside story" of your children's schooling as the annual report required by law. This year it seems pertinent to show exteriors. There is no truer measure of a city than the manner in which it chooses to house its school children.

Your present Superintendent has been peculiarly fortunate in being a personal witness to the opening of three new high schools in Milwaukee—Riverside, Washington, and Bay View. At the same time you have erected additions and remodeled four other high schools—Boys' Tech, North Division, Girls' Tech, and West Division. Plans are now under way for a new Lincoln High School and a thoroughly remodeled South Division High School, which latter is of well nigh tragic urgency.

During this same period seventeen modern junior high and grammar schools have been built—Franklin, Grant, Green Bay, Greenbush, Greenfield, Hartford, Hi-Mount, Keefe, Kosciusko, Lapham Park, Lincoln Avenue, Neeskara, Oklahoma, Peckham, Roosevelt, Sherman, and Wisconsin Avenue Schools. Four new schools are under way—Walker Junior High School, Fernwood School, Townsend School, and Vieau School. Sixteen other schools have also been added to the system—Dakota, Eightieth Street, Fifteenth Street, Garden Homes, Girls' Prevocational, Hawley, Humboldt Park, Johnson's Woods, Kilbourn Prevocational, Manitoba, Morgandale, Sixty-eighth Street, State Street, Story, Wright Street, and the School of Women's Work. The balance of our ninety-nine schools have been revamped and refurnished in varying degrees, so that it may now be truthfully said that a Milwaukee school is usually a play house and work place worthy of Milwaukee's children and the greater future to which they are called. Your will to house them all thus guarantees that the people's generously supported program will be carried on, carefully avoiding the Scylla of extravagance to the left and the Charybdis of penny wisdom to the right.

Certain details from our newest five year building program may be of interest. Population facts indicate that school enrollment for the past seventeen years has increased at a rate nearly double that of city population. This difference in rate of increase accounts largely for Milwaukee's school building shortage. Larger percentages of children are remaining to complete the grades and are entering high schools than ever before in our history. High school enrollment has doubled in the last eight years. In the past seventeen years the elementary grades have increased 53 per cent while high school grades have increased 244 per cent, indicating a growing demand for high school education. During the past decade the average annual rate of increase in all grades is approximately 3 per cent. The committee estimates a school population increase of 9,850 in the next five years and 19,865 in ten years. Expressed in terms of yearly growth this means an annual increase of 1,800 to 2,000, or *two new schools per year*. At the present time there is a shortage of 4,200 in the elementary schools and 2,410 in the high schools. To cover this shortage and to care for the expected natural increase will require accommodations for 16,460 children.

The Board has made commendable progress in carrying out the recommendations of previous survey committees. Definite steps have been taken in connection with eleven of the first twelve items in the 1925 Revision of the Building Program. Two buildings, the Peckham Junior High School at 37th and Concordia and the Kosciusko Prevocational School at Fifth and Windlake Avenues



COMPARATIVE INCREASE IN SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AND
PUPIL ACCOMMODATIONS

are nearing completion. Contracts have been let for additions to the West Division and North Division High Schools, and the contract for the Fernwood elementary school will probably be let within thirty days. Plans are now being drawn for the new Lincoln High School, the Twenty-seventh Avenue Junior High School, an addition at Walker Street (now the Vieau School) and to the Boys' Technical High School. Additions to the South Division High School and the Cass Street School have had to be delayed because of the necessity for buying additional lots. Annexation difficulties have delayed progress in the matter of an addition to the Humboldt Park School. On the whole, the steps which the Board has taken are ample evidence of its grasp of the situation and its sincere intention to carry out the programs recommended by its survey committees.

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anticipate that all of these buildings will be finished and ready for occupancy within the five year period, but all should be built or under way. For this reason the fact that the total pupil accommodations called for by that building program is somewhat larger than the number of pupil accommodations actually needed for the five year period is not too serious a cause for worry. By the time all of these buildings are completed (in seven or eight years) we shall probably have an enrollment of two or three thousand pupils above the 81,000 predicted for the end of the five year period. In other words the new building program in practice will probably be called upon to care for approximately 18,000 or 19,000 instead of 16,000. Moreover it is not good policy to erect buildings filled to capacity on their opening day. Some margin should always be allowed for future growth.

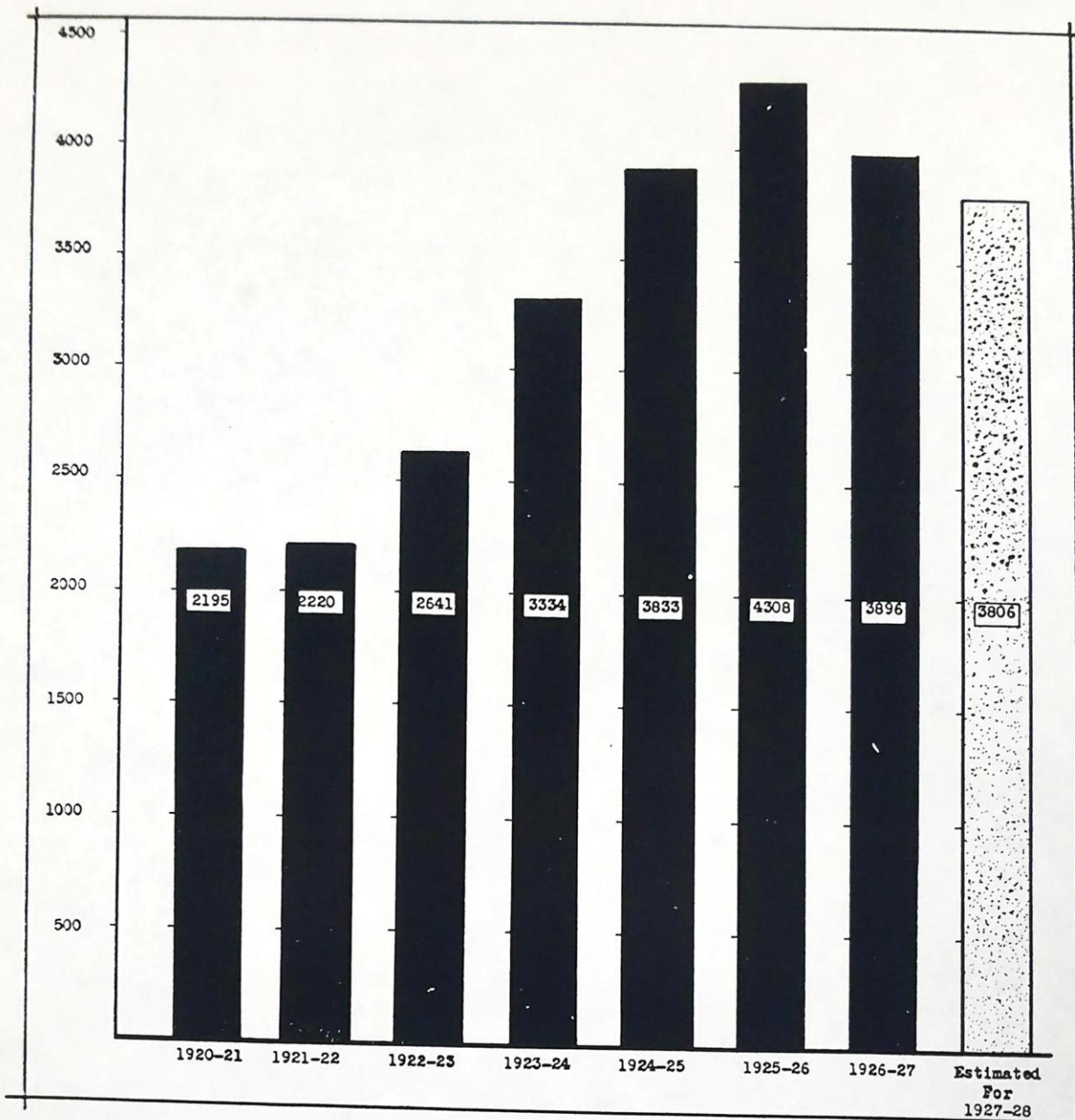
SUMMARY OF PROPOSED FIVE YEAR BUILDING PROGRAM

	Pupil Capacity	Estimated Cost
North Division High School Addition.....	200	\$ 475,000
West Division High School Addition.....	.....	250,000
27th Avenue Junior High School.....	1,400	675,000
Fernwood Elementary.....	900	375,000
South Division High School Addition.....	.....	250,000
Lincoln High School.....	1,500	1,250,000
Humboldt Park Elementary Addition.....	500	275,000
Cass Street Elementary Addition.....	350	240,000
Walker Street Elementary Addition.....	400	250,000
26th Street Junior High School.....	1,000	500,000
Johnson's Woods Elementary.....	800	350,000
Townsend Elementary.....	900	375,000
Davis Street completion.....	.....	250,000
Girls' Prevocational.....	800	400,000
Wright Street Elementary.....	1,000	400,000
Olive Street Junior High.....	1,400	650,000
Eightieth and Locust Elementary.....	1,000	420,000
Morgandale Elementary.....	800	350,000
Thirty-sixth Street Addition.....	400	250,000
Garden Homes Elementary.....	800	350,000
Garden Homes High School (Unit).....	800	800,000
Fifty-first and Keefe Elementary (Unit).....	500	250,000
McKinley School Addition.....	300	200,000
Hawley Avenue Elementary Addition.....	300	250,000
Forty-second Avenue and Montana Elementary (Unit).....	500	250,000
Thirty-seventh and Oak Elementary (Unit).....	500	250,000
Seventeenth and Hauser Elementary (Unit).....	500	250,000
Hazelton and Swan Road Elementary (Unit).....	500	250,000
North Side Prevocational.....	800	600,000
Hartford Avenue Elementary completion.....	.....	200,000
Total.....	18,850	\$11,635,000

In addition to the above, provision for additions to the two Trade Schools amounting to \$600,000 is to be made from moneys available through the Trade Fund.

Recommendations of the committee with reference to future school sites are also pertinent. The committee was convinced that if sites suitably located and of ample proportions are to be secured at reasonable prices, they must be purchased long in advance of actual building needs. A short sighted policy with reference to the purchase of sites, as past history shows, is extremely expensive. The estimated cost of the sites listed in the report is \$700,500, an estimate which is based upon the cost if purchased now. The committee very probably assumes no responsibility for estimating the cost in case the purchase of many of these sites is delayed for a number of years.

To finance the building and sites program will require an expenditure of



THE NUMBER OF PUPILS IN BARRACKS IN RECENT YEARS.

somewhat more than \$2,000,000 annually for a period of five years. Under the existing laws, bonds for school building purposes may be levied to the extent of 1 per cent of the assessed valuation of this district, provided the Common Council sees fit to permit it. This is a peculiarity in our school law which should be remedied, for obviously no official body is in a better position to judge the needs of the schools than the Board of School Directors. Such a Board usually pursues a policy of more cautious economy in levying children's funds where solely responsible to the taxpayers than in those cities where they can pass the responsibility over to or share it with some other taxing body. Where the Board has the sole responsibility for taxes, taxpayers can cause it to feel its fiscal accountability. This will be fairly demonstrated one way or the other if and when, by the Milwaukee 1928 referendum, the people shall have given the Board power (which you should possess) to levy up to one mill per year for building purposes.

I am, very truly yours,

M. C. POTTER

Superintendent of Schools.

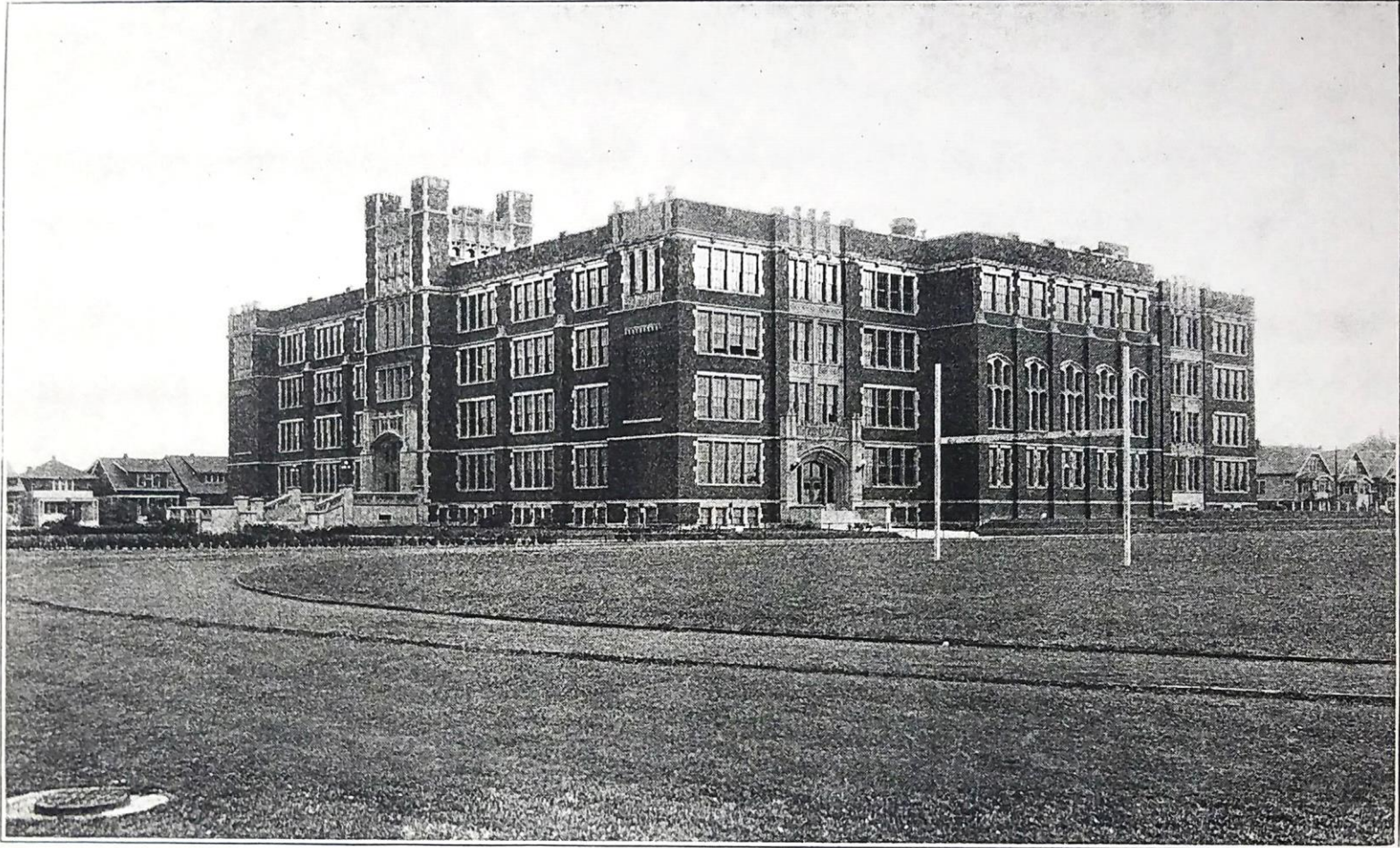
The Bay View High School District



CONTRIBUTING SCHOOLS

DOVER STREET
FERNWOOD
GREENBUSH STREET
HANOVER STREET
HUMBOLDT PARK
MORGANDALE
FIFTH AVENUE

MOUND STREET
OKLAHOMA AVENUE
PARK STREET
SECOND AVENUE
TROWBRIDGE STREET
VIEAU
WINDLAKE AVENUE



BAY VIEW HIGH SCHOOL This building, completed in 1922, is the most recently constructed Milwaukee high school. It has 69 rooms used for class purposes. In addition there are two study halls, a library, two gymnasiums, two swimming pools, a cafeteria and an auditorium seating 1500. The site of seven acres includes an athletic field. The cost of building and grounds was \$1,254,700. The enrollment has grown from 850 in 1922 to 1600 in 1927.

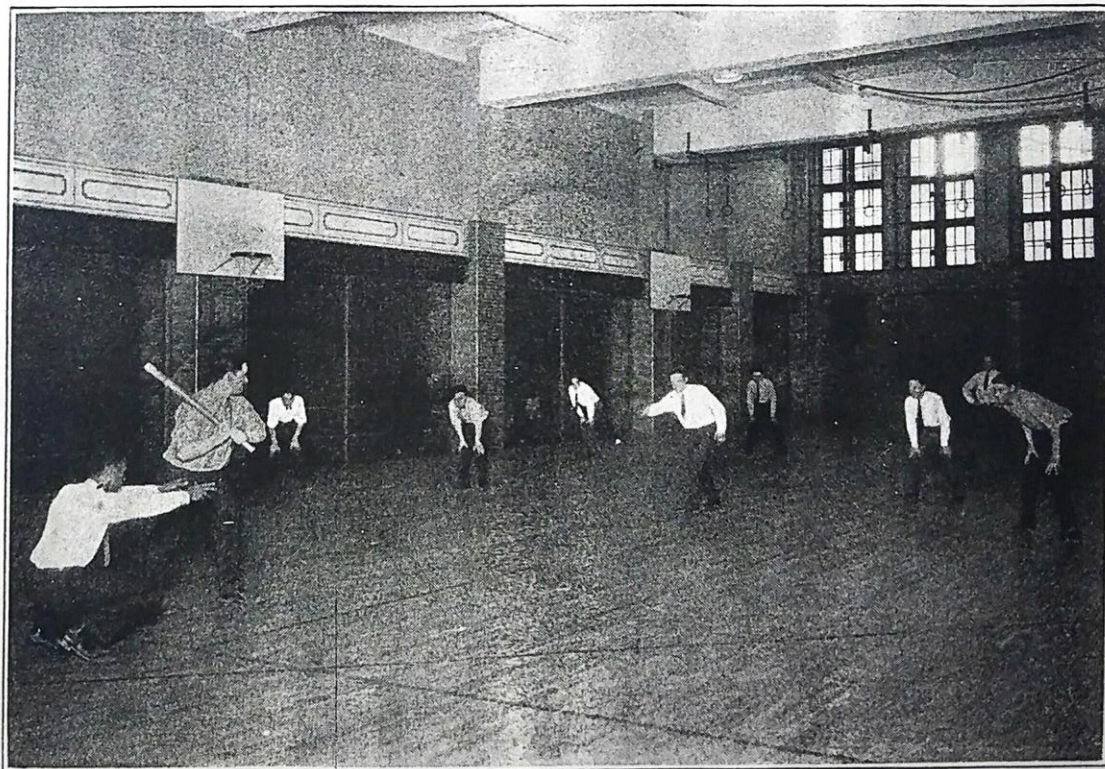


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*Russell Avenue and
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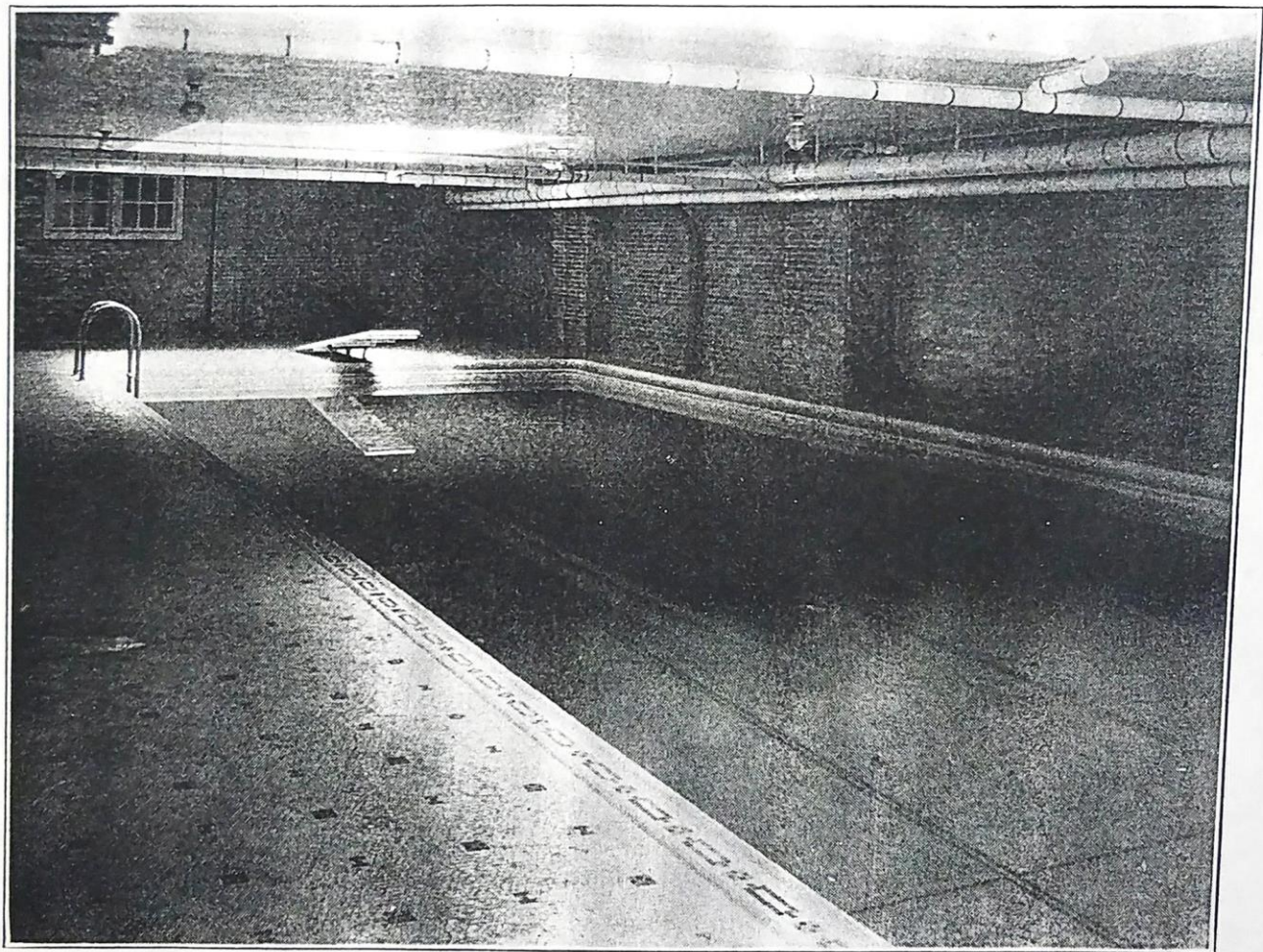
OFFICE PRACTICE ROOM, BAY VIEW HIGH SCHOOL



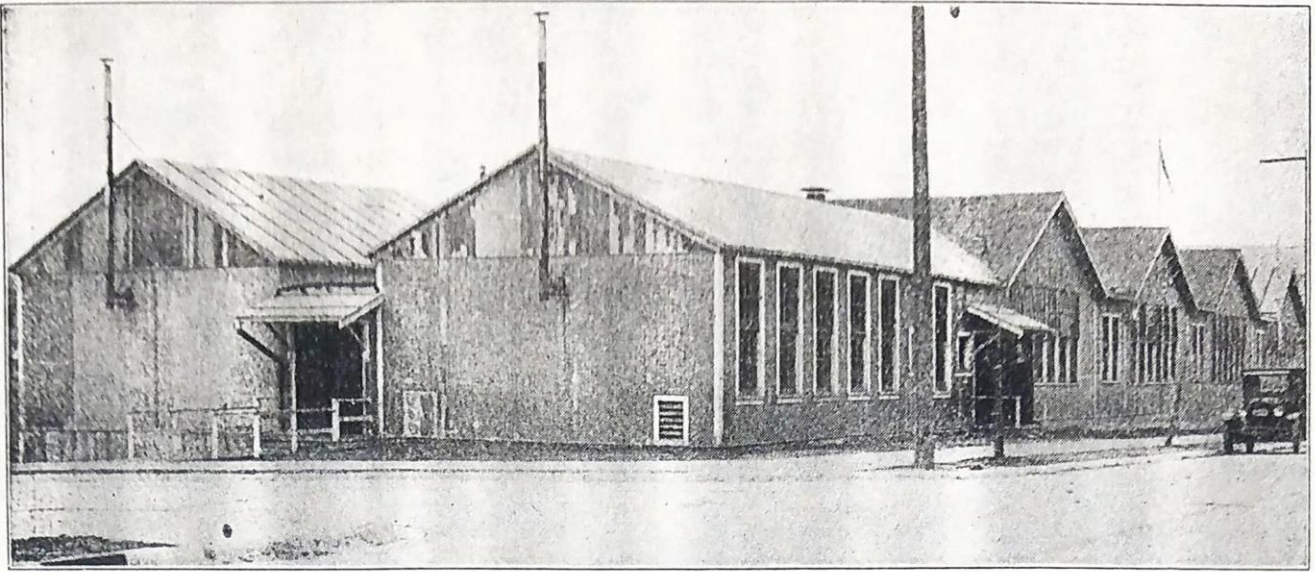
BOYS' GYMNASIUM, BAY VIEW HIGH SCHOOL



THE CHEMISTRY LABORATORY OF THE BAY VIEW HIGH SCHOOL



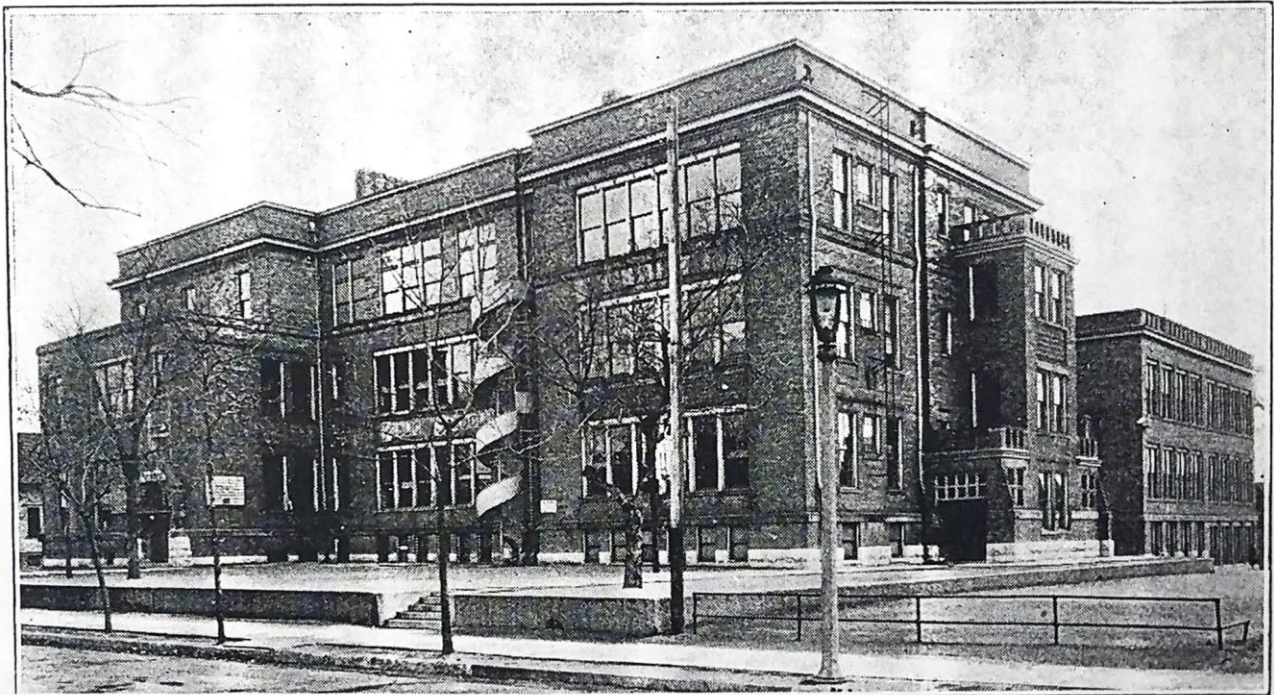
BOYS' SWIMMING POOL, BAY VIEW HIGH SCHOOL



FERNWOOD SCHOOL

*Falling Heath and
Pennsylvania Avenues*

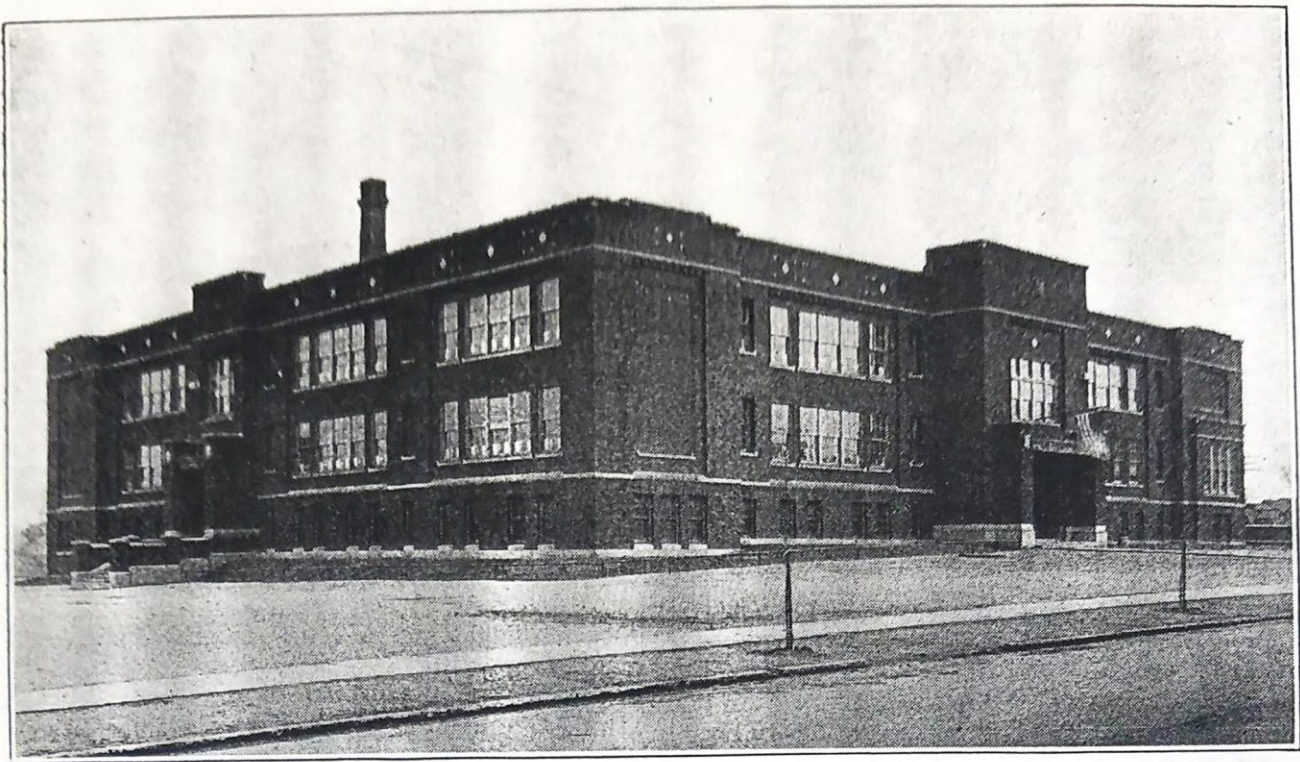
This school came into the city by territorial annexation from the Town of Lake in 1925. The four-room building which stood on the grounds was immediately razed as unserviceable. Fourteen barrack rooms on a new site now house the children of this rapidly growing district. A new twenty-two room building is now under construction. The enrollment is 429. The cost of the grounds was \$20,260. The cost of the new building will be \$375,000.



DOVER STREET SCHOOL

*West of
Kinnickinnic Avenue*

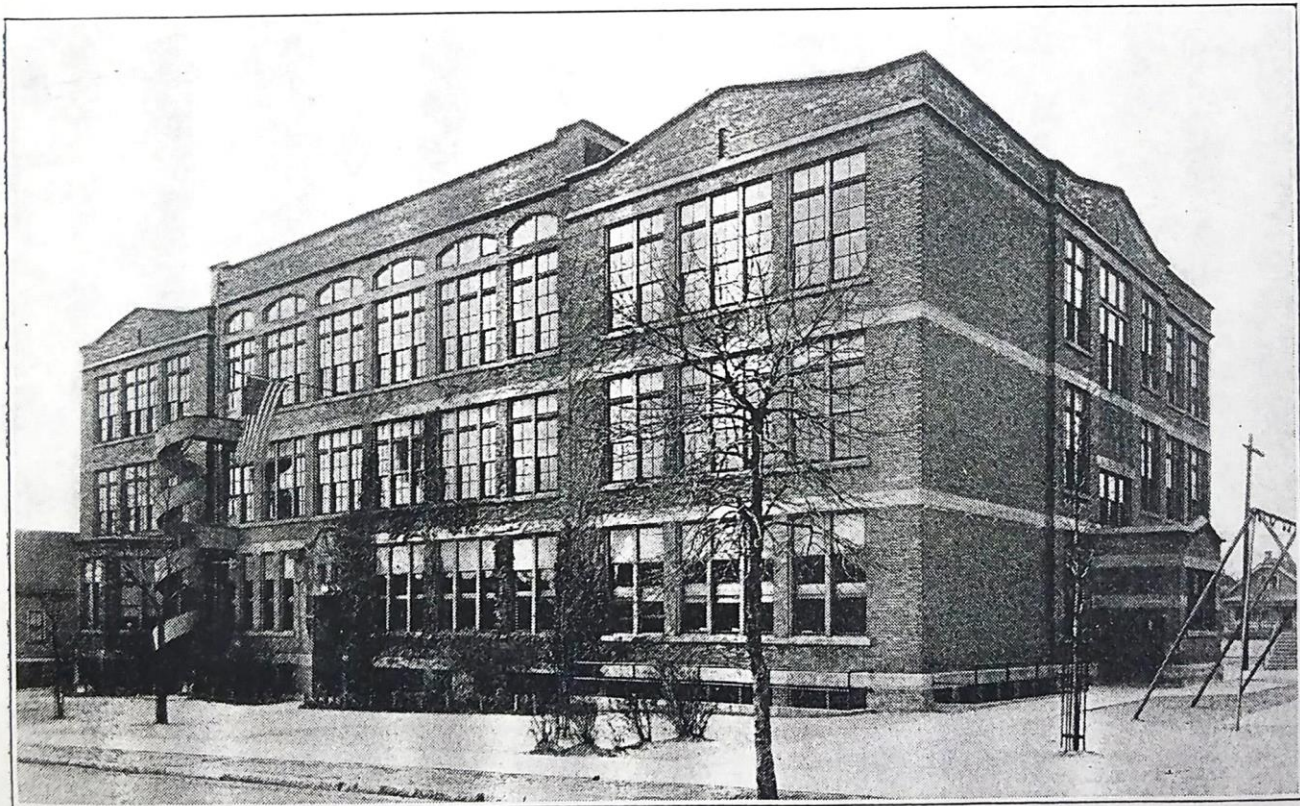
This school became a part of the school system in 1886 when Bay View was annexed to the city. In 1890 a new building was erected to which several additions have been made. The building contains twenty-four classrooms and is also equipped for social center purposes. In 1910 the building was partly destroyed by fire. The cost of the grounds was \$3,500; the cost of the building was \$137,340. The present enrollment is 988.



GREENBUSH STREET SCHOOL

*Chase and
Greenbush Streets*

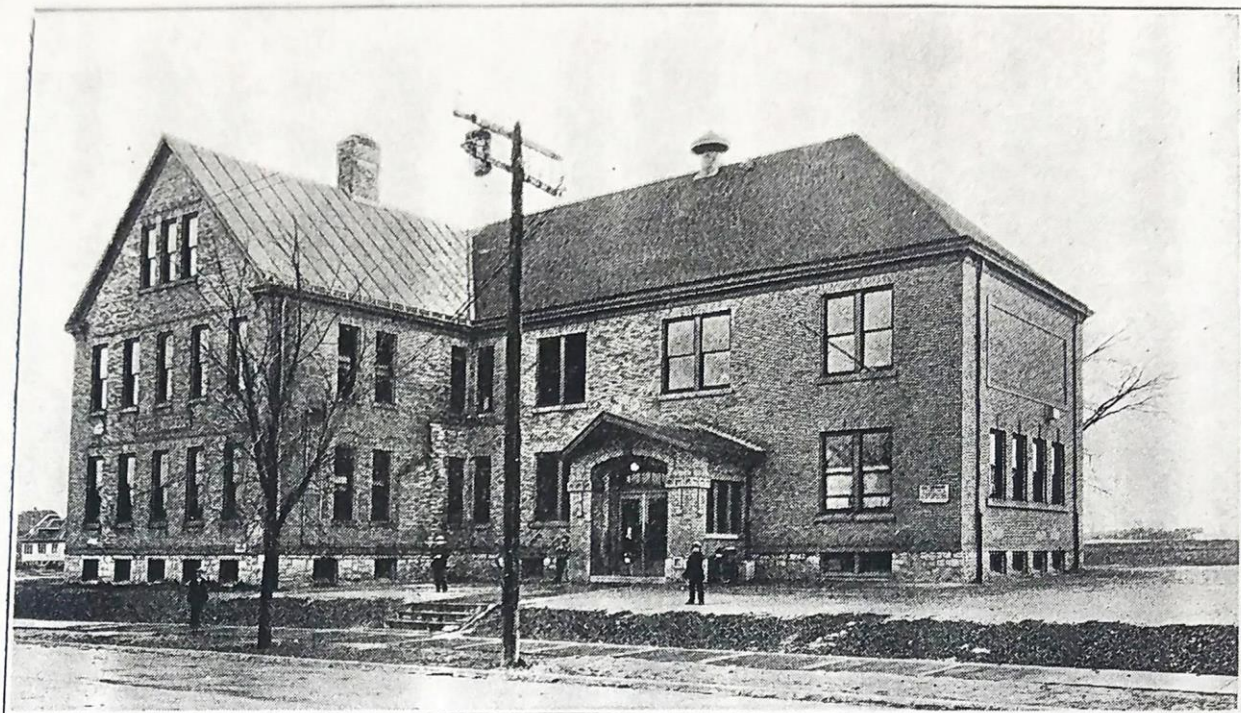
The site for this school was purchased in 1900 but the school building was not erected until 1914. For a year previous to that a six-room barrack building was used to accommodate the initial enrollment. The building has twenty-three classrooms. The cost of the grounds was \$30,450; the cost of the building was \$174,410. The enrollment is 867.



FIFTH AVENUE SCHOOL

*Fifth and
Hayes Avenues*

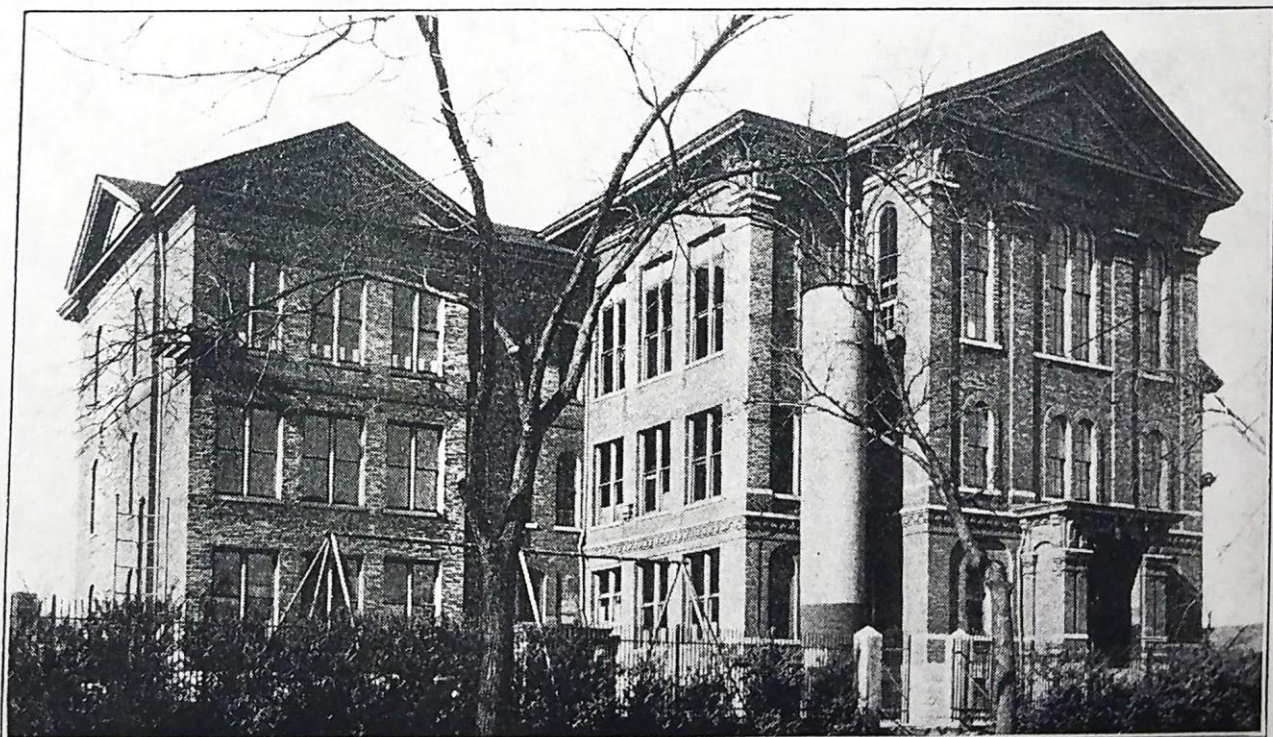
The site for this school was purchased in 1901, but the building was not erected until 1908. The building has fourteen classrooms and an assembly hall which is also used in part for classroom purposes. The cost of the grounds was \$11,540, and the cost of the building \$58,000. The enrollment is 679.



HUMBOLDT PARK SCHOOL

*Euclid and
Adams Avenues*

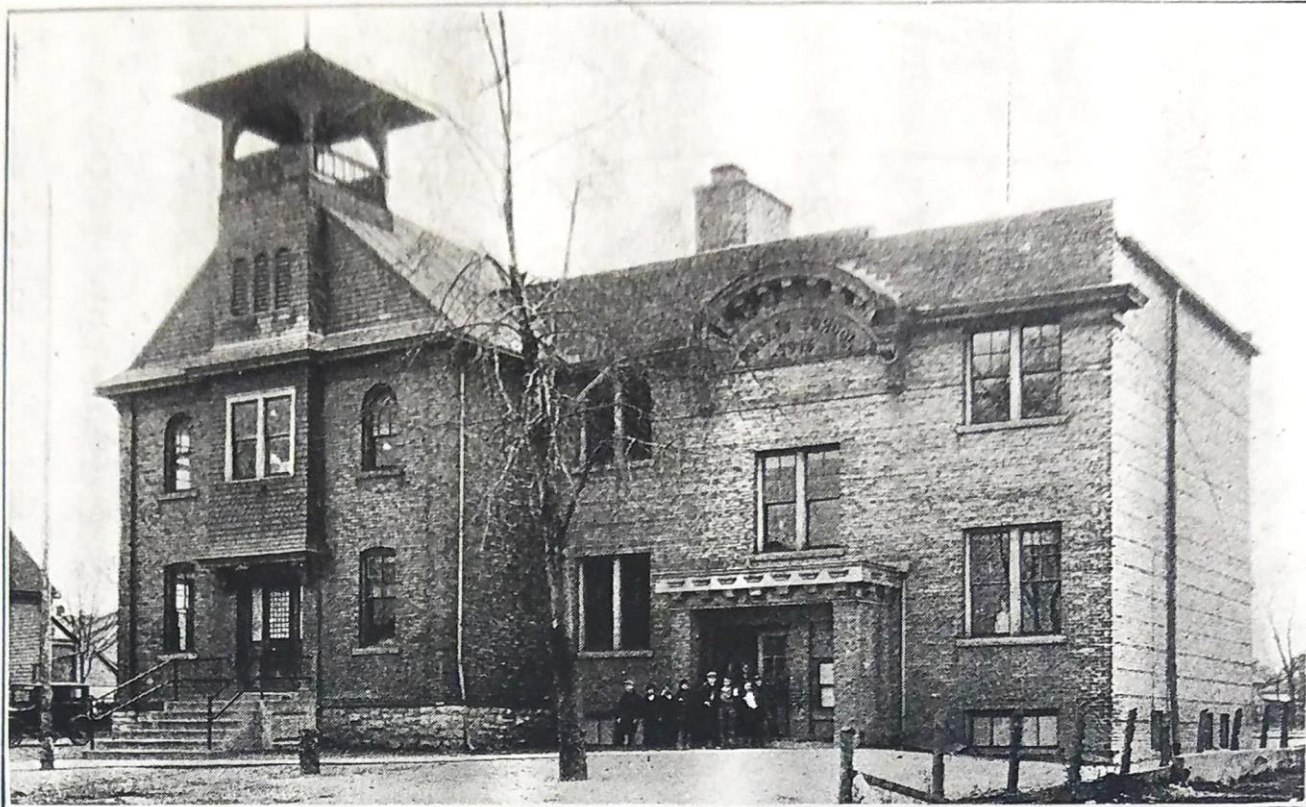
The annexation of the territory south of Humboldt Park in 1925 added this school to the city school system. It is an eight-room building, the capacity of which is now supplemented by five barracks. The building has long outgrown its usefulness and will have to be replaced by a new building in the near future. The cost of the building is reported to have been but \$23,960. The latest revision of the five-year building program calls for an appropriation of \$275,000 for an addition. The present enrollment is 509.



HANOVER STREET SCHOOL

*Hanover and
Mitchell Streets*

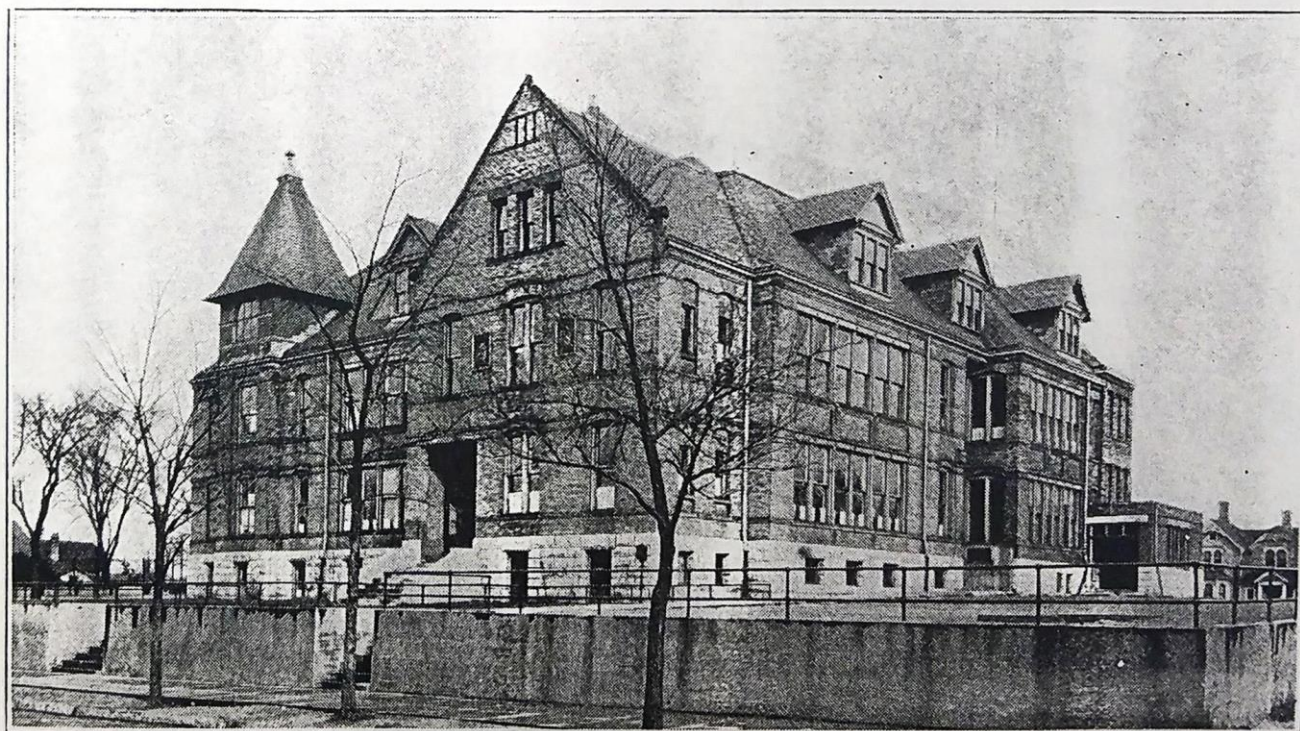
Established in 1873 under the name Lincoln School. The building has twenty-one classrooms and a small assembly hall. Three barrack rooms and the auditorium are also used for classroom purposes. The cost of the grounds and building was \$168,190. The enrollment is 1,064.



MORGANDALE SCHOOL

*Oklahoma
Avenue*

This school came into the city in 1924 by annexation of the district known as Morgandale. The building has six classrooms. A new site a half mile southwest has been purchased to be used for a more permanent structure. The enrollment is 235. The cost of the building was \$13,620.



MOUND STREET SCHOOL

*Mound Street, North
of Lincoln Avenue*

This school was established in 1886. There are fourteen classrooms and a small assembly hall. The enrollment is 626. The cost of the grounds and building was \$98,650.



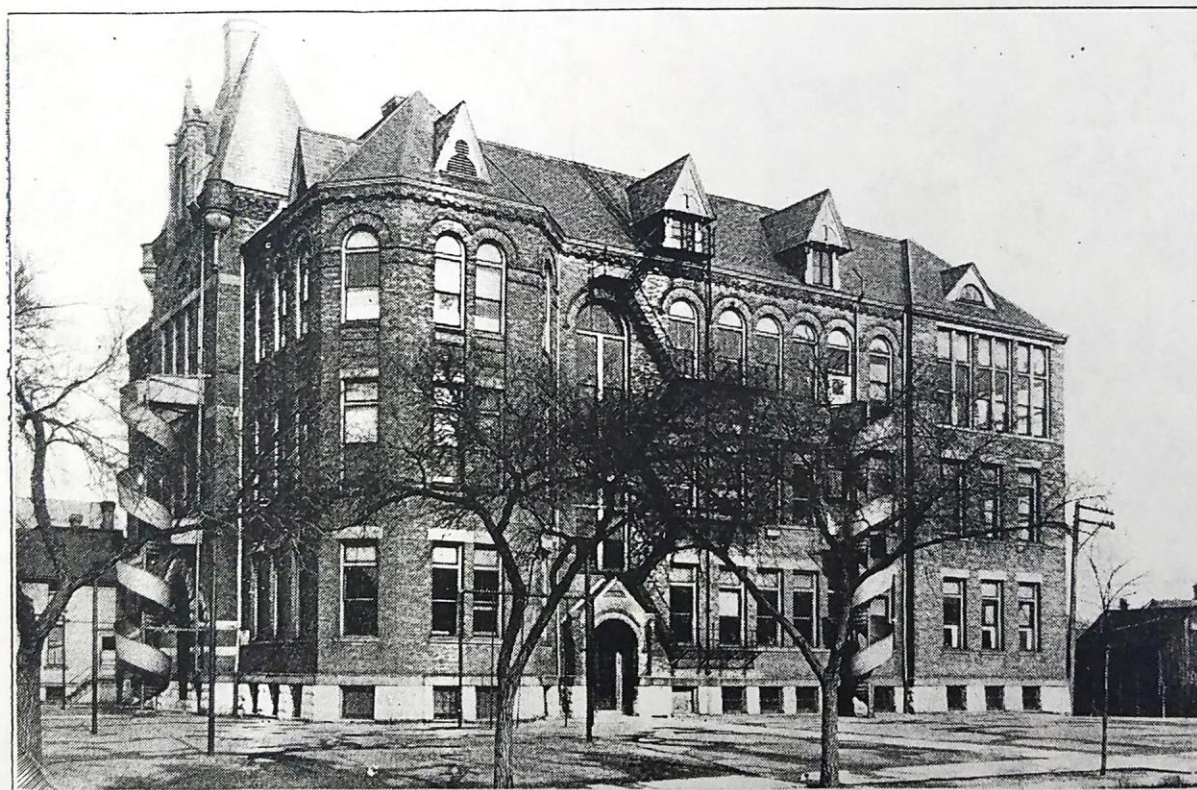
OKLAHOMA AVENUE SCHOOL

*Fifth and Oklahoma
Avenues*

This school was opened in 1913. Until 1916 when the new building was completed barracks were used to accommodate the membership. In 1926 the building was enlarged by a twelve-room addition, bringing it up to a twenty-three classroom capacity. Besides there is an auditorium, a double gymnasium, and modern equipment for open air pupils. The site upon which the building stands offers exceptional playground facilities. The enrollment is 788. The cost of the ground was \$22,100; the cost of the building was \$358,275.



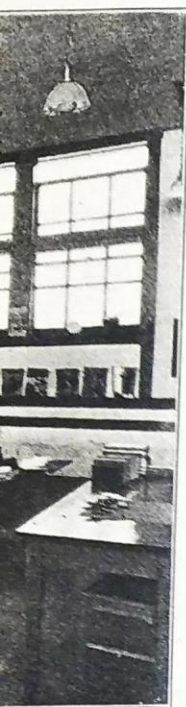
THE FRESH AIR ROOM OF THE OKLAHOMA AVENUE SCHOOL—This room is a part of the new addition to the building. It provides for undernourished and cardiac cases in this section of the city.



PARK STREET SCHOOL

*Park and
Hanover Streets*

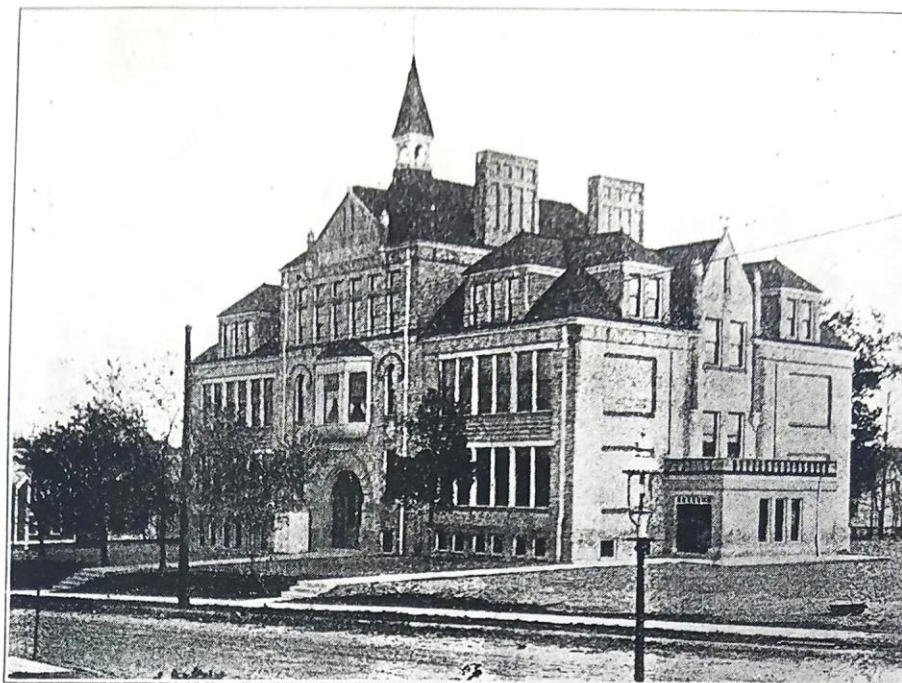
This school is one of the five whose beginning antedates official records of the Board. An early history mentions it as in existence in 1846, and also the erection of a new building in 1862. There are fourteen classrooms and a small assembly hall. The enrollment is 602. Part of the building is now being used by Technical High School classes and eventually the building will become an integral part of the Boys' Technical High School. The cost of the grounds and building was \$43,520.



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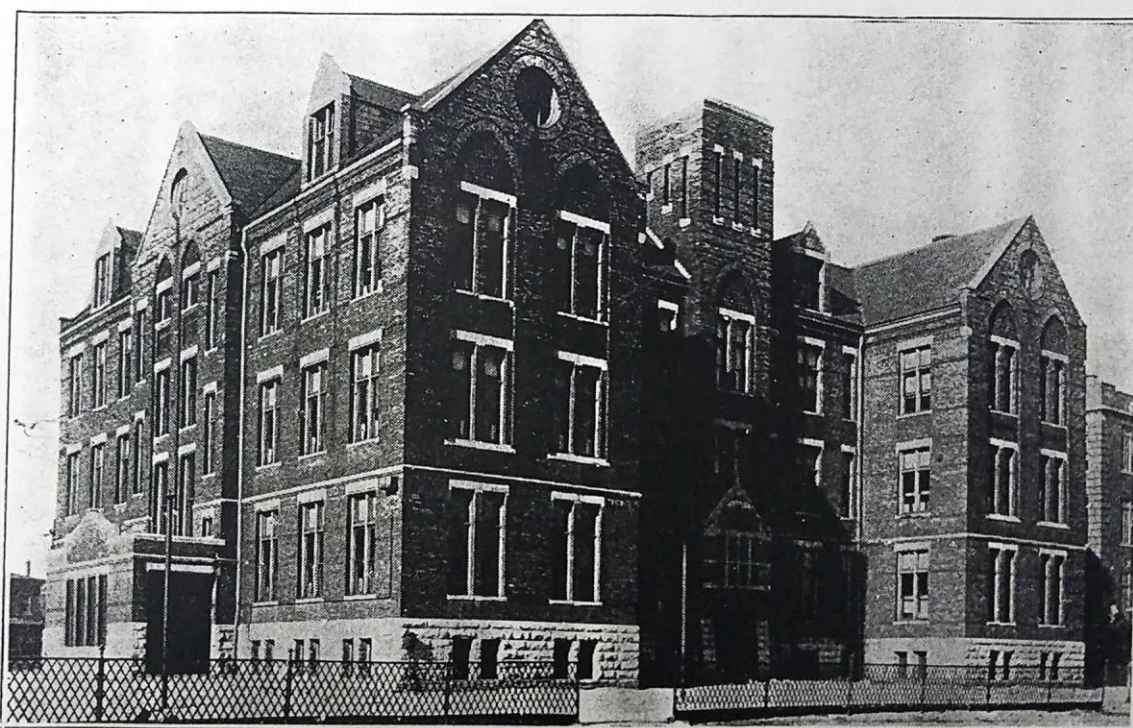
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TROWBRIDGE STREET SCHOOL

*Trowbridge Street and
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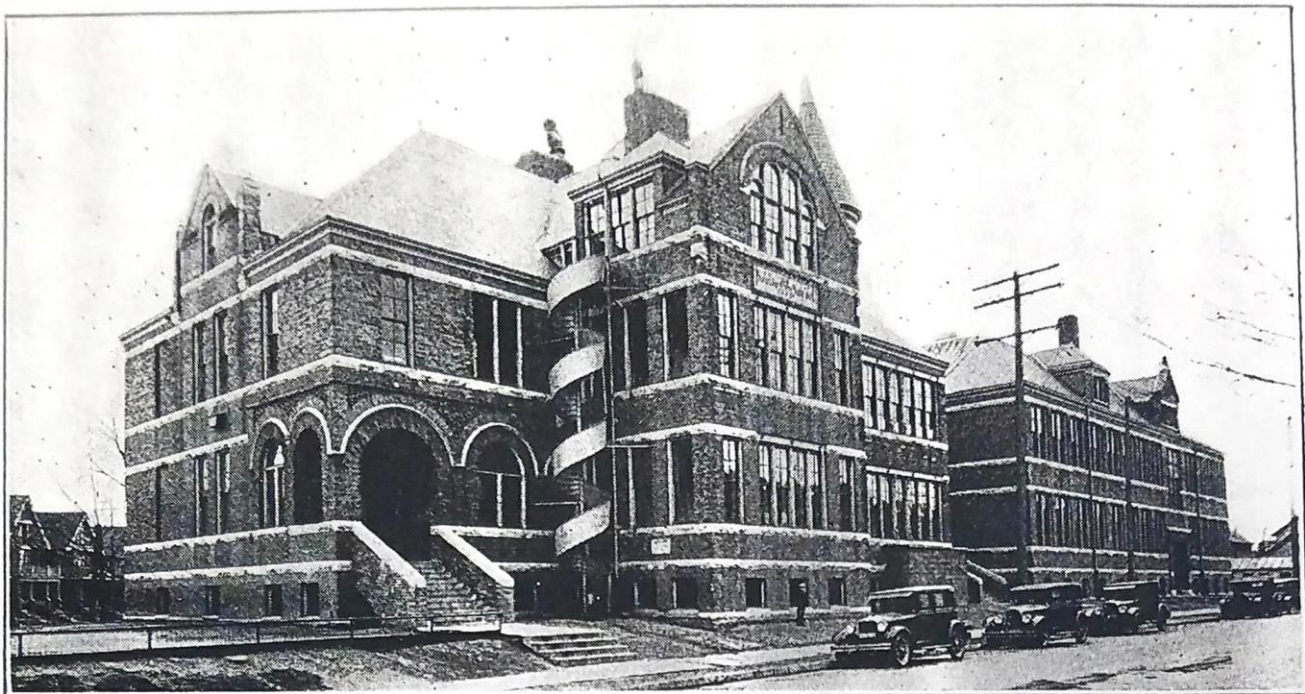
This school came into the city in 1887 with the annexation of the district known as Bay View. The school was then located on Russell Avenue. In 1894 a new building was erected on Trowbridge Street and named accordingly. There are eighteen classrooms and a small assembly hall. The enrollment is 798. The cost of the grounds was \$11,790; the cost of the building was \$68,030.



SECOND AVENUE SCHOOL

*Second Avenue and
Madison Street*

From 1893 to 1899 this building was used as a home for the South Division High School. When the high school moved into its new building this school became an elementary school. There are seventeen classrooms; the enrollment is 677. The cost of the grounds was \$10,600; the cost of the building was \$94,800.



WINDLAKE AVENUE SCHOOL

*Windlake Avenue and
Becher Street*

This school was established in 1889. The capacity of the building is twenty-two classrooms. In addition, one barrack room is used. The cost of the grounds was \$28,080; the cost of the building was \$101,080. The present enrollment is 813.



VIEAU SCHOOL

*(Formerly Walker Street)
Walker and Greenbush Streets*

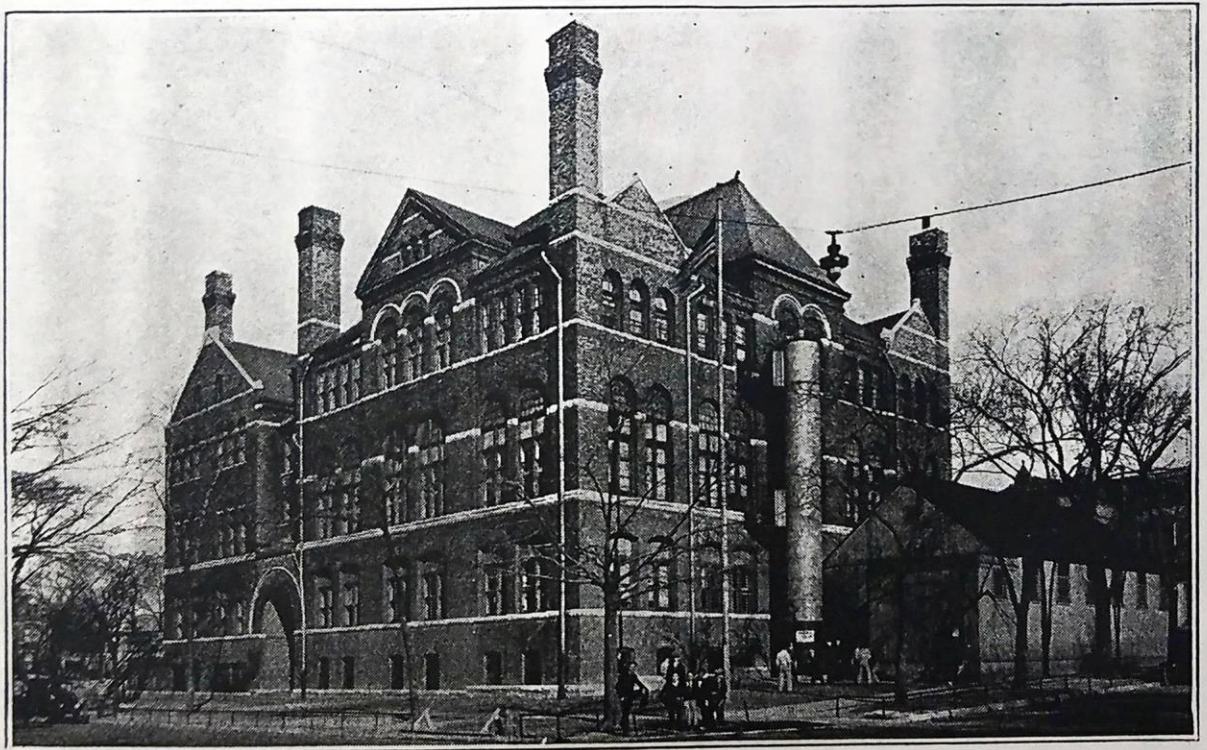
The history of this school begins in 1878. The building has ten classrooms. The recommendations included in the five-year building program call for an addition to cost approximately \$250,000. A sketch now being drawn calls for twelve classrooms and an auditorium. Contracts will probably be let early in 1928. The original building was erected at a cost of \$45,330. The cost of the grounds was \$25,250. The present enrollment is 480, but will be considerably increased by the transfer of pupils from the Park Street School.

The Lincoln High School District

CONTRIBUTING SCHOOLS

CASS STREET
FOURTH STREET
HIGHLAND AVENUE

ISLAND AVENUE
THOMAS JEFFERSON
ANDREW JACKSON



LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL

*Cass and Knapp
Streets*

This building erected in 1887 was occupied by the former East Division High School until that school moved to its new quarters and became the Riverside High School in 1915. For a time it was occupied as a deaf school. Since September, 1920, it has been occupied by the Lincoln High School, first as a junior high school and more recently as a six-year high school. The building is woefully unsuited to the demands of a modern high school. In addition to attic and basement rooms ten barracks are being used. The Board has authorized the construction of a new and modern building to replace the present structure at an estimated cost of \$1,250,000.



PAUL BINNER SCHOOL

*Marshall and
Knapp Streets*

This school provides for the deaf children and was formerly known as the School for the Deaf. It had its beginning in 1890 in the building which stood on the site of the present Highland Avenue School. Since 1922 the school occupied quarters on

Marshall Street. Plans now under way call for housing the deaf school on the fourth floor of the new Lincoln High School. The present enrollment of the deaf is 101.



CASS STREET SCHOOL

*Cass and Kewaunee
Streets*

This building dates back to 1905. The history of the school goes back another fifty years. For the past three years the school has been operated on the Rotary plan. The building proper has eighteen classrooms; in addition, five barrack rooms, four basement rooms,

and one assembly hall are being used for class purposes. The building program of the Board calls for an addition to this building estimated to cost \$240,000, as well as an enlargement of the present school grounds. The present building and grounds represent an investment of approximately \$87,000. The school has an enrollment of 1,300.



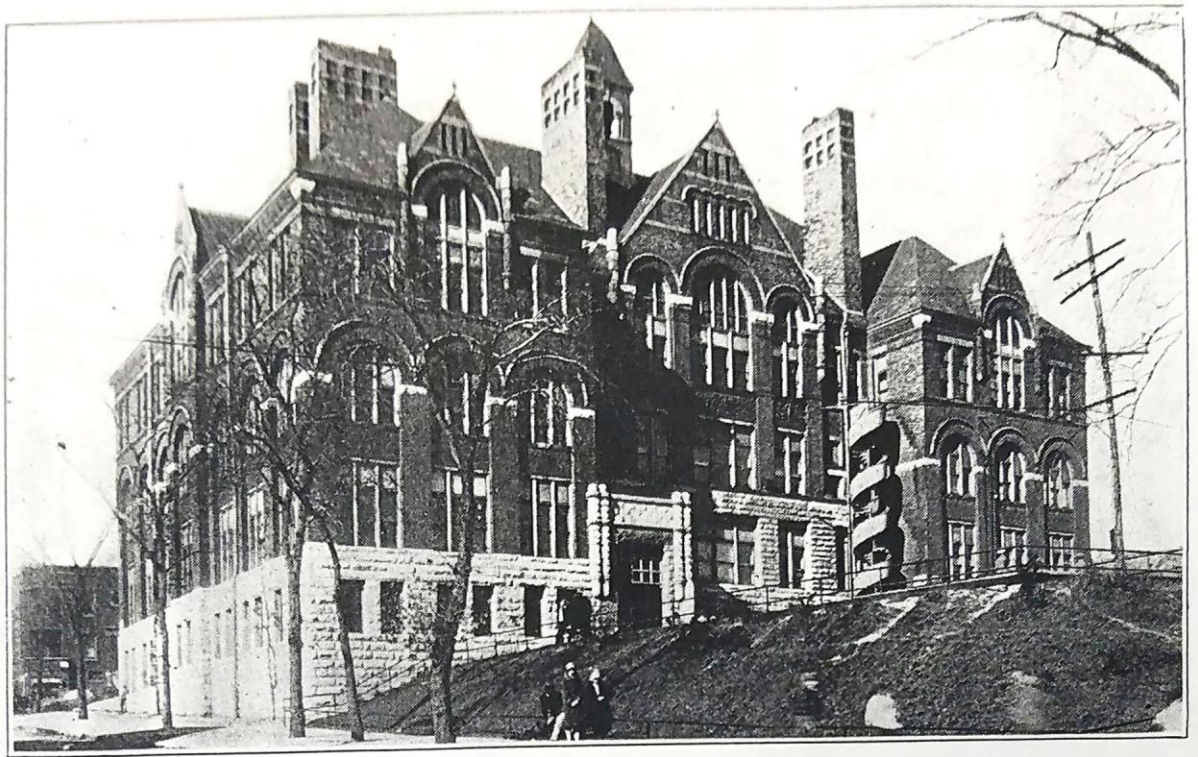
FOURTH STREET

*Fourth and Galena
Streets*



HIGHLAND AVENUE

*Highland Avenue
Seventh Street*



FOURTH STREET SCHOOL

*Fourth and Galena
Streets*

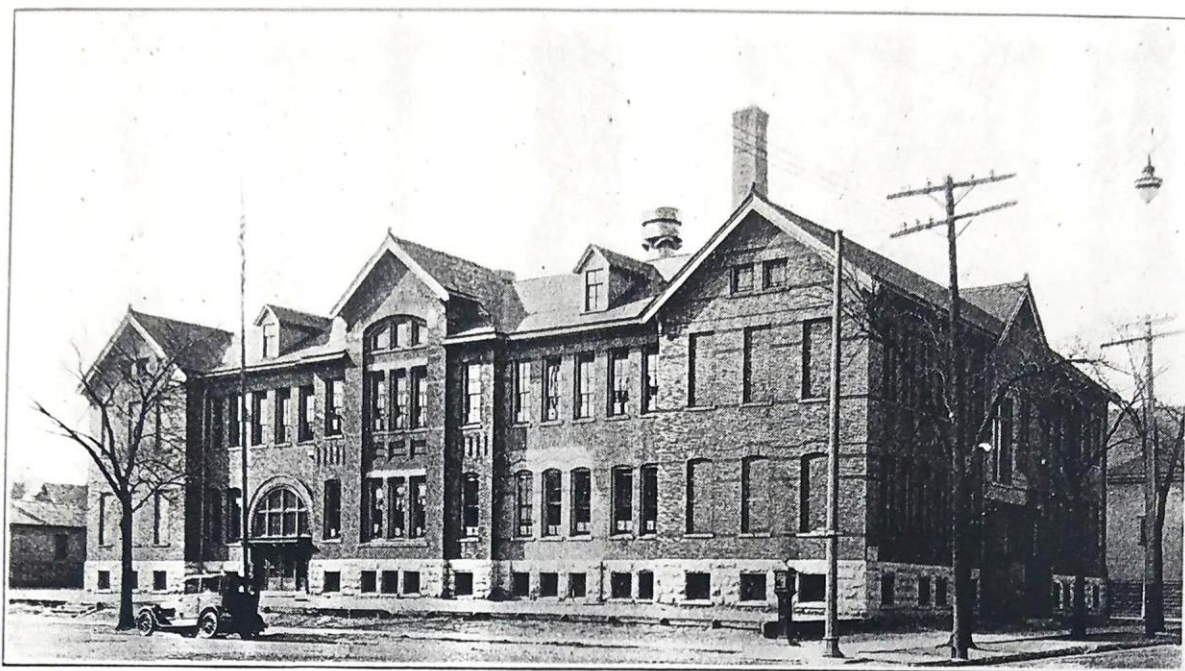
Originally known as the Humboldt School, the history of this school dates back to 1851. The building has sixteen classrooms and also serves social center purposes. The cost of the grounds and building was \$77,870. The enrollment is 641.



HIGHLAND AVENUE SCHOOL

*Highland Avenue and
Seventh Street*

Established in 1884 in a building which for a number of years previous had served as a Normal Training School. There are twenty-two classrooms. It has rather limited play space. The cost of the grounds and building was \$154,590. The enrollment is 708.



ISLAND AVENUE SCHOOL

*Island Avenue and
Harmon Street*

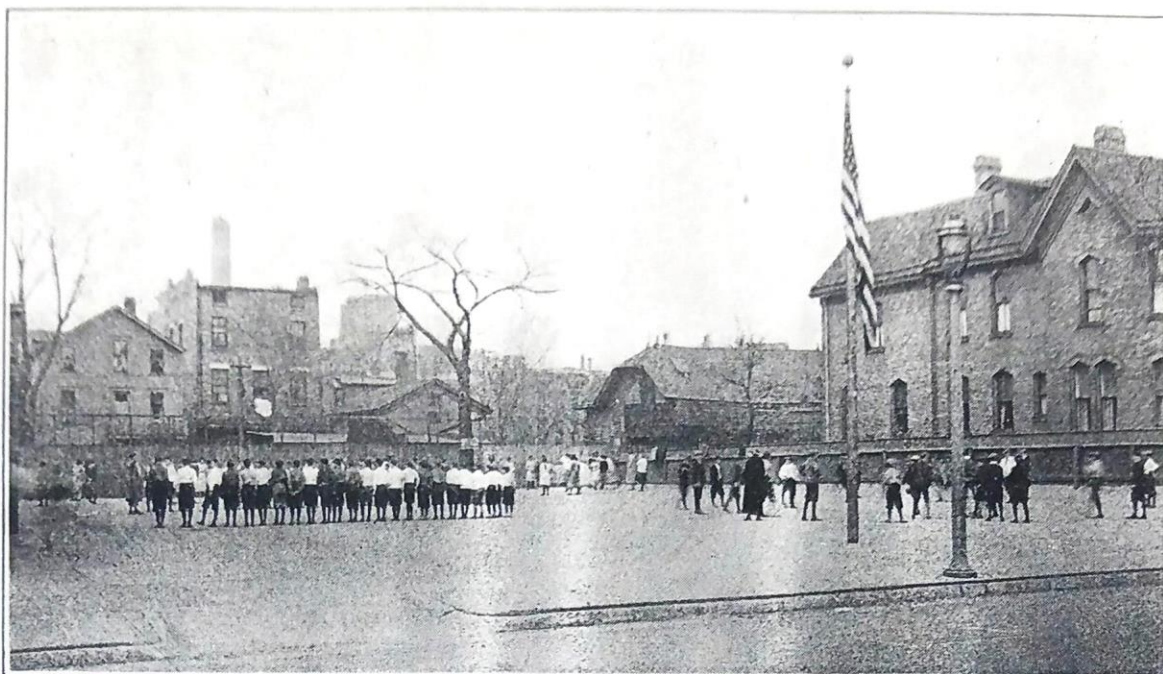
Established in 1882 as the Sixth District Primary School No. 2. The building was enlarged to its present capacity of seventeen rooms in 1923. The cost of the grounds was \$11,100; the cost of the building was \$130,530. The enrollment is 818.



THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL

*Jefferson Street, Near
Martin Street*

The first record of this school appears in the printed reports of 1860 when it was known as the Hadley School. There are sixteen classrooms and a small assembly hall. The cost of the grounds and building was \$69,330. The enrollment is 663.



THE PLAYGROUND OF THE THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL—A cement court that is very inadequate to meet present day requirements for playgrounds. Proper foresight in years gone by would have prevented such a situation. Fortunately, the present Board has adopted a policy of buying no less than an entire block for new schools.



ANDREW JACKSON SCHOOL

*Detroit and Jackson
Streets*

This school is one of five whose history takes us back to the earliest days of public education in this city. The records tell us of a building which stood on the present site in 1851. In course of time the building was enlarged by several additions. In 1915 a public natatorium was made a part of the building. The building has twenty-four classrooms besides the natatorium facilities and social center rooms. Playground facilities here are the poorest in the city. The cost of the grounds was \$11,000; the cost of the building excluding the natatorium, which was built by the city, was \$150,550. The enrollment is 1,010.

The North Division High School District

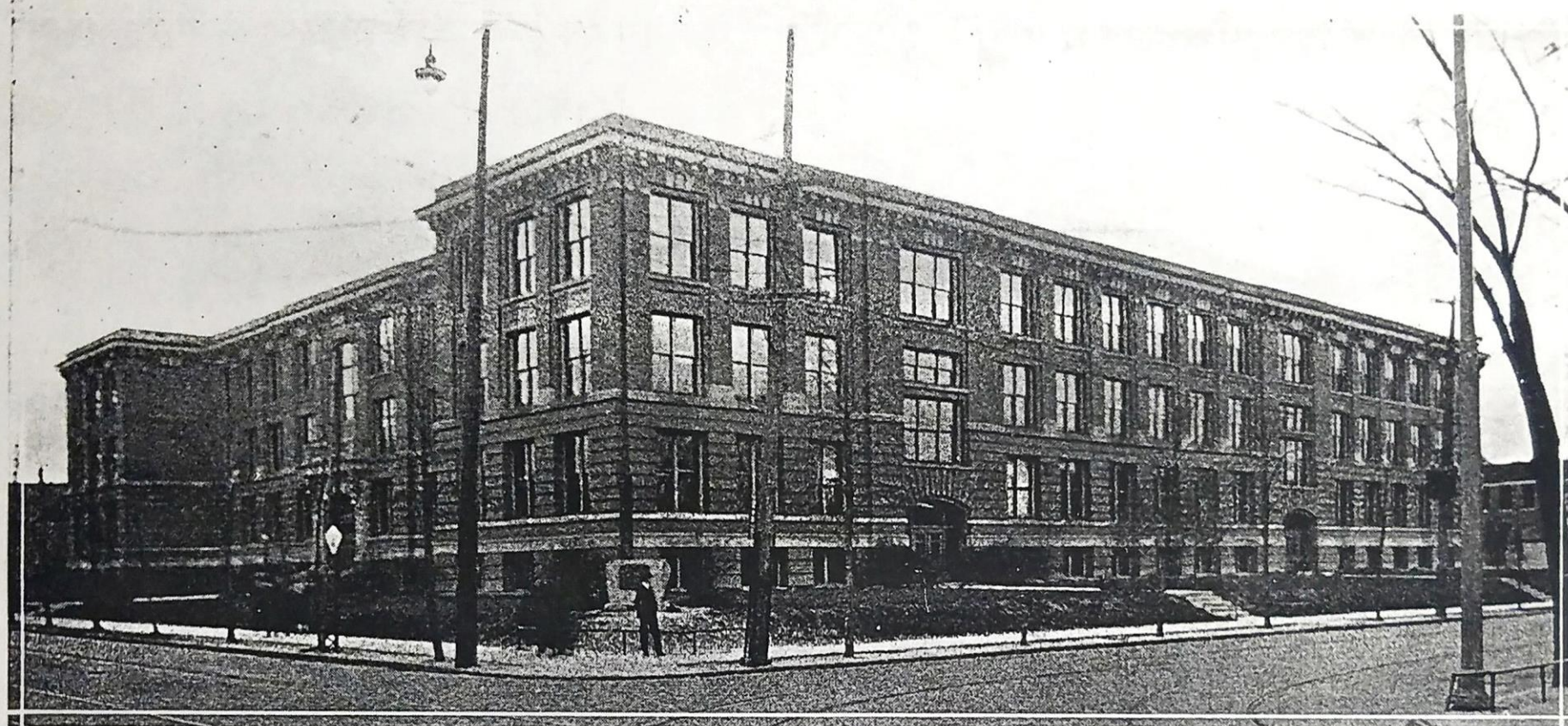


CONTRIBUTING SCHOOLS

FIFTH STREET
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN
GARDEN HOMES
GARFIELD AVENUE
HOPKINS STREET
KEEFE AVENUE

LEE
LLOYD STREET
NINTH STREET
RING STREET
TWELFTH STREET
TWENTIETH STREET

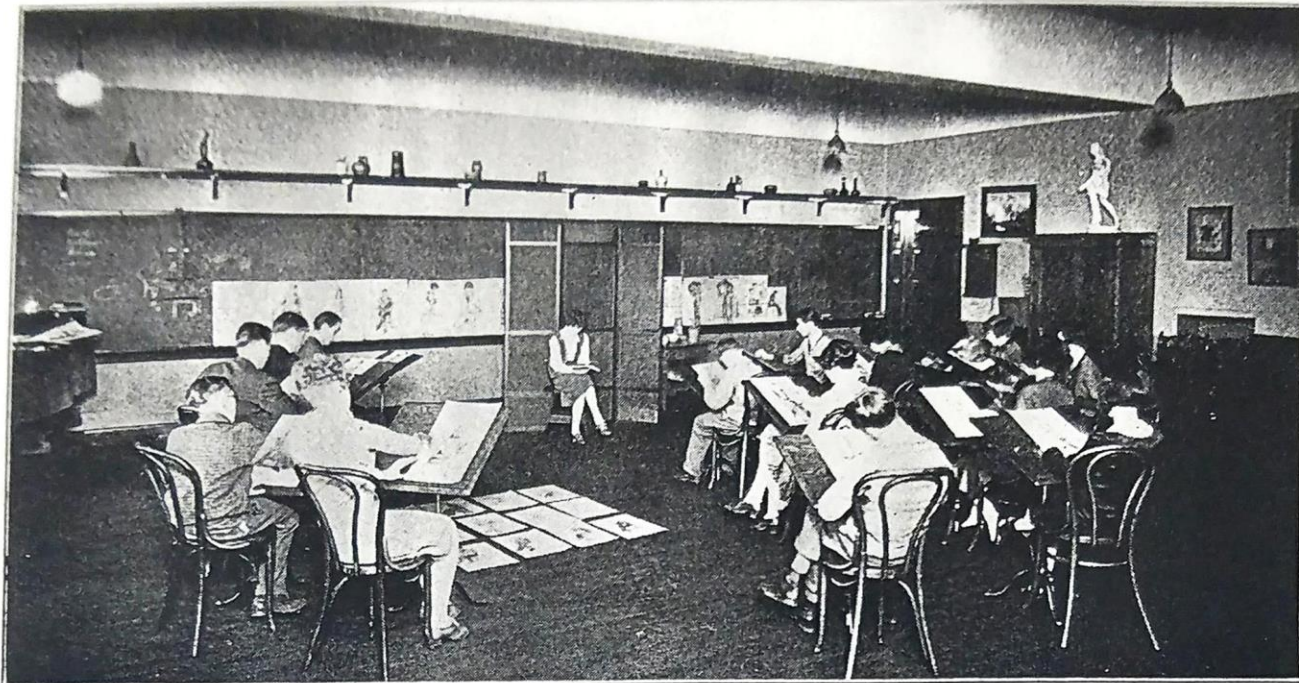
TWENTY-FIRST STREET



NORTH DIVISION HIGH SCHOOL

*Twelfth and Center
Streets*

The first unit of this building was completed in 1907. A ten-room addition was built in 1911. Another addition, including a library, a study hall, a cafeteria, an additional gymnasium and twelve classrooms is now under construction. When completed the entire building and grounds will represent an investment of approximately \$750,000. The school has an enrollment of more than 1600.



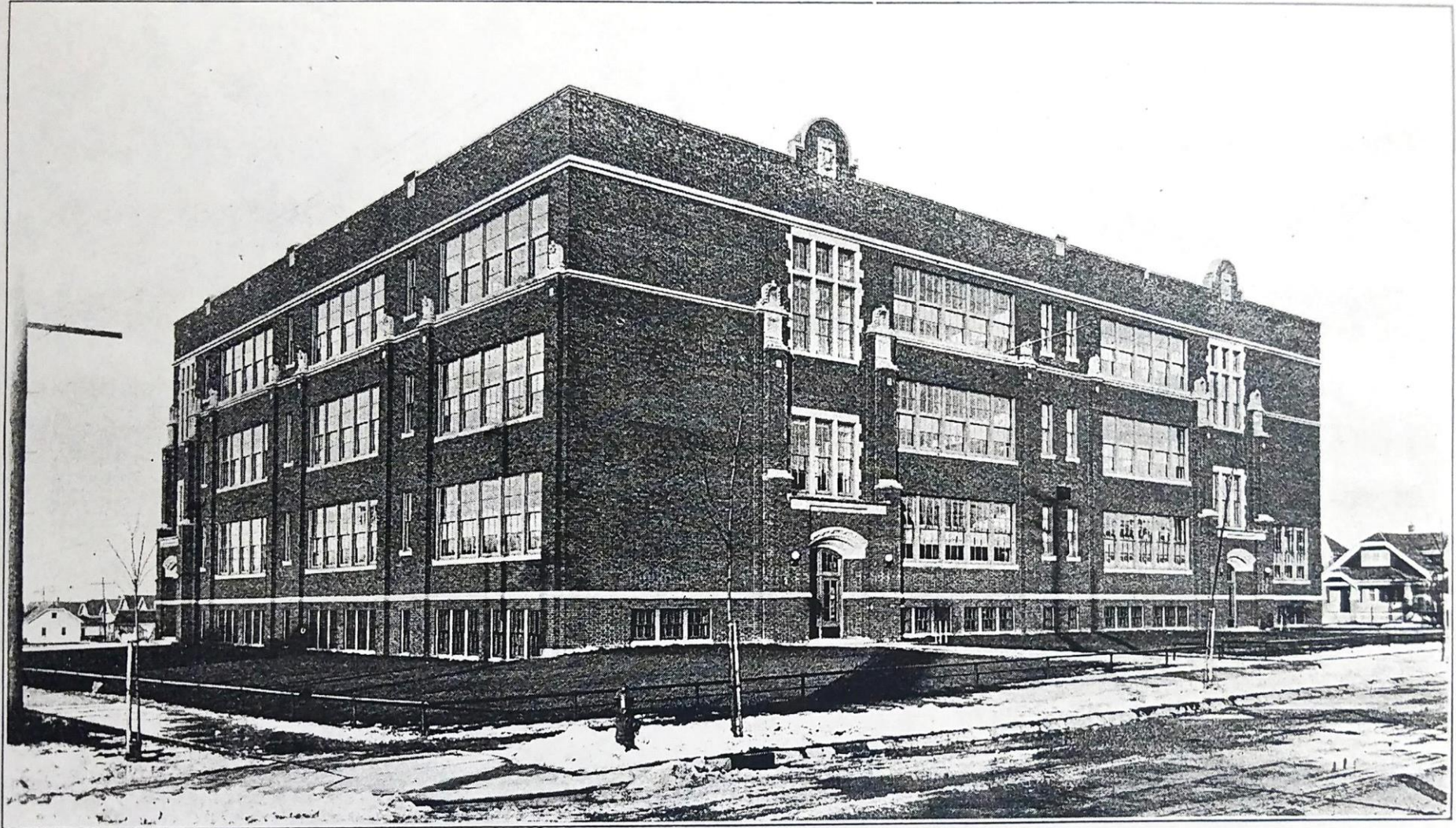
THE ART ROOM IN THE NORTH DIVISION HIGH SCHOOL



FIFTH STREET SCHOOL

*Fifth Street, Near
Hadley Street*

The history of this school dates back to 1889. In 1912 it was named the Fifth Street School. The building has sixteen classrooms, and a small assembly hall on the third floor, besides rooms used for social center purposes. The cost of the grounds and building was \$110,150. The enrollment is 726.



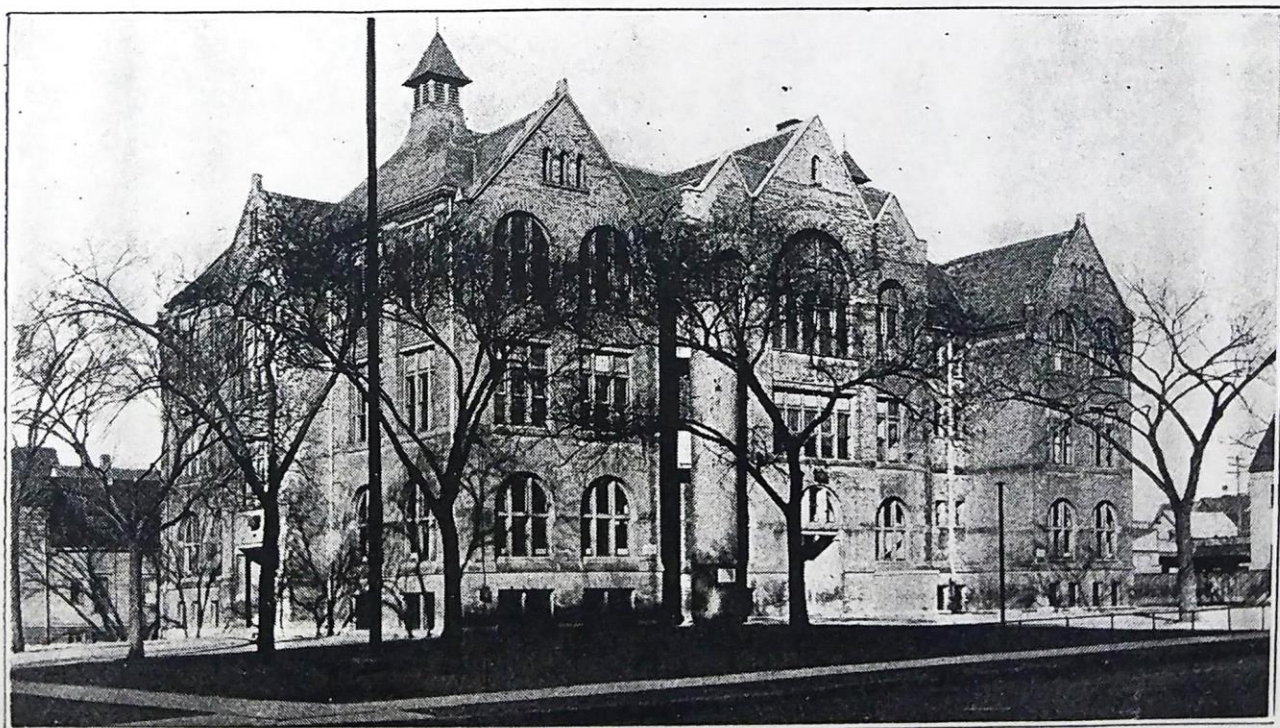
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SCHOOL

*Twenty-fourth and
Pease Streets*

This school came into the Milwaukee school system in 1912 as the school of Joint District No. 1, Town of Milwaukee. After a period of barracks the new structure was occupied in the fall of 1924. The building represents some of our most up-to-date ideas in school architecture. It has twenty-three classrooms and an auditorium on the second floor. The enrollment is 1,101. The cost of the grounds and the building was \$445,040.



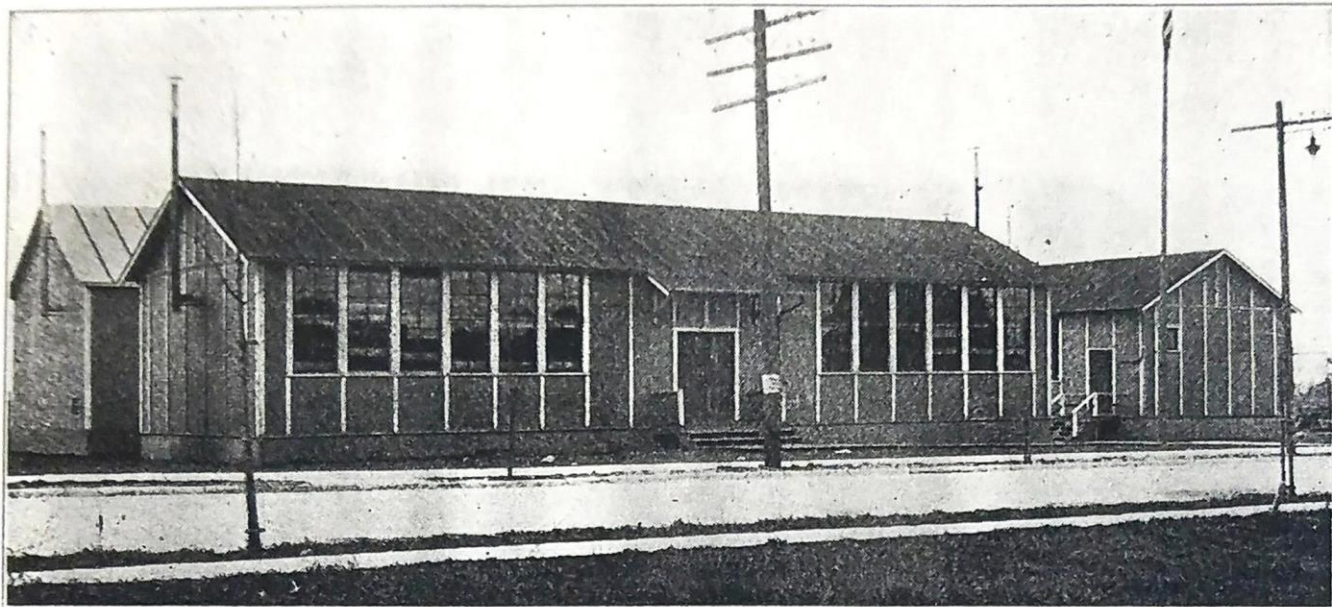
KINDERGARTEN ROOM, FRANKLIN SCHOOL



GARFIELD AVENUE SCHOOL

*Garfield Avenue and
Fourth Street*

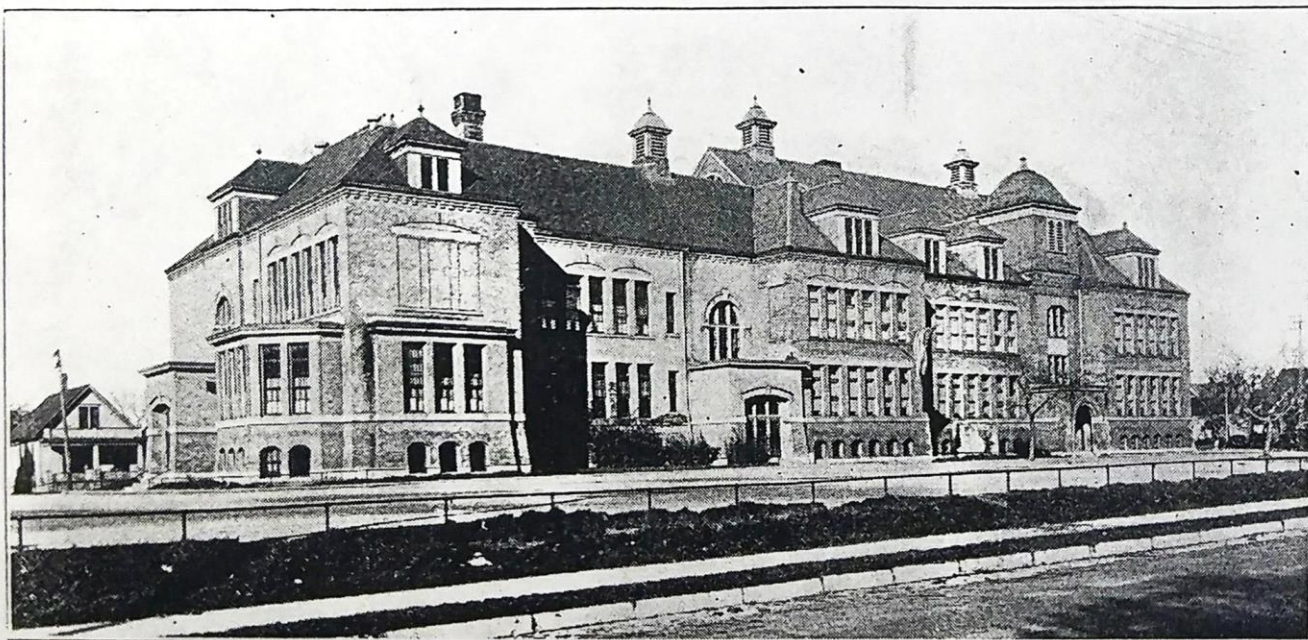
The history of this school goes back to 1869. It was then called the Union School. The building has fifteen classrooms and a small assembly hall on the third floor. The cost of the grounds and building was \$137,830. The enrollment is 515.



GARDEN HOMES SCHOOL

*Atkinson and Letchworth
Streets*

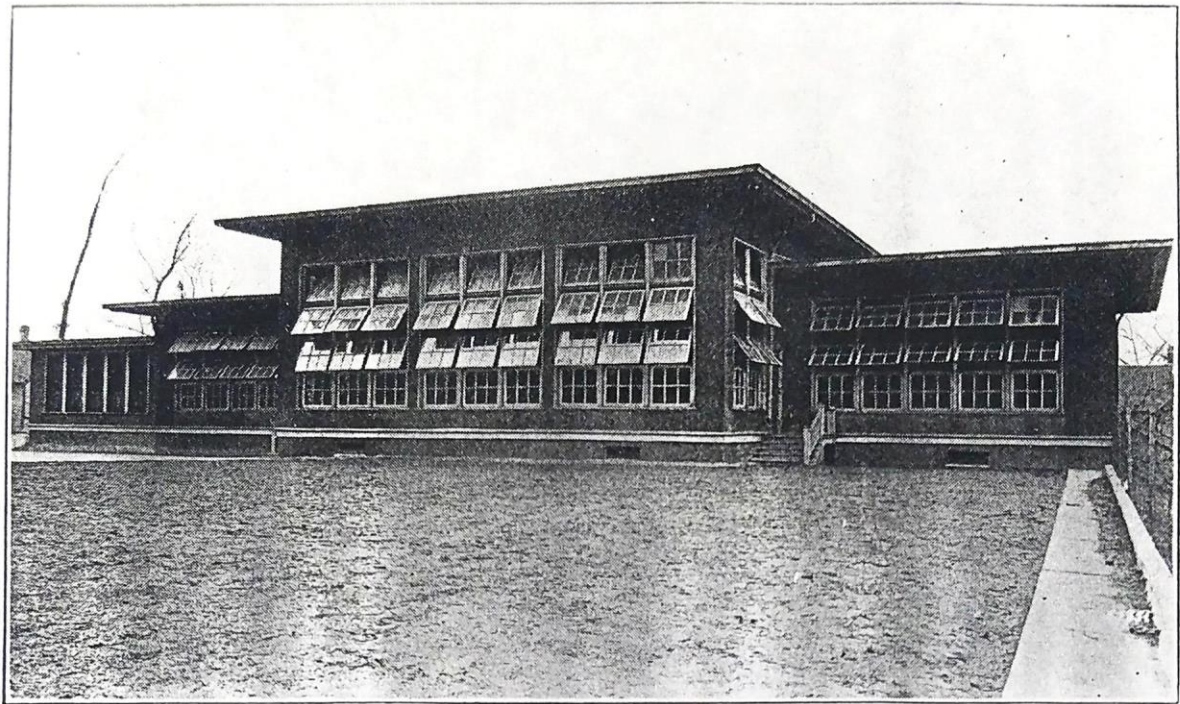
This school derived its name from the section which was annexed to the city in 1924 as the Garden Homes district. The school is at present housed in three barrack rooms with an enrollment of 149. The rapidly developing character of the district will require that a permanent structure be erected in the near future. The Board's Five Year Building Program includes an item of \$350,000 for this purpose. The present site was acquired with this in mind.



HOPKINS STREET SCHOOL

*Hopkins and Fifteenth
Streets*

The records of this school begin in 1861 when it was called the Teutonia School. For a number of years it was abandoned, but in 1894 it was reopened as the Eleventh District Primary School No. 5. Later it became the Hopkins Street School. The building has sixteen classrooms. The cost of the grounds and building was \$107,500. The enrollment is 729.



LAPHAM PARK OPEN AIR SCHOOL

*Walnut and Eighth
Streets*

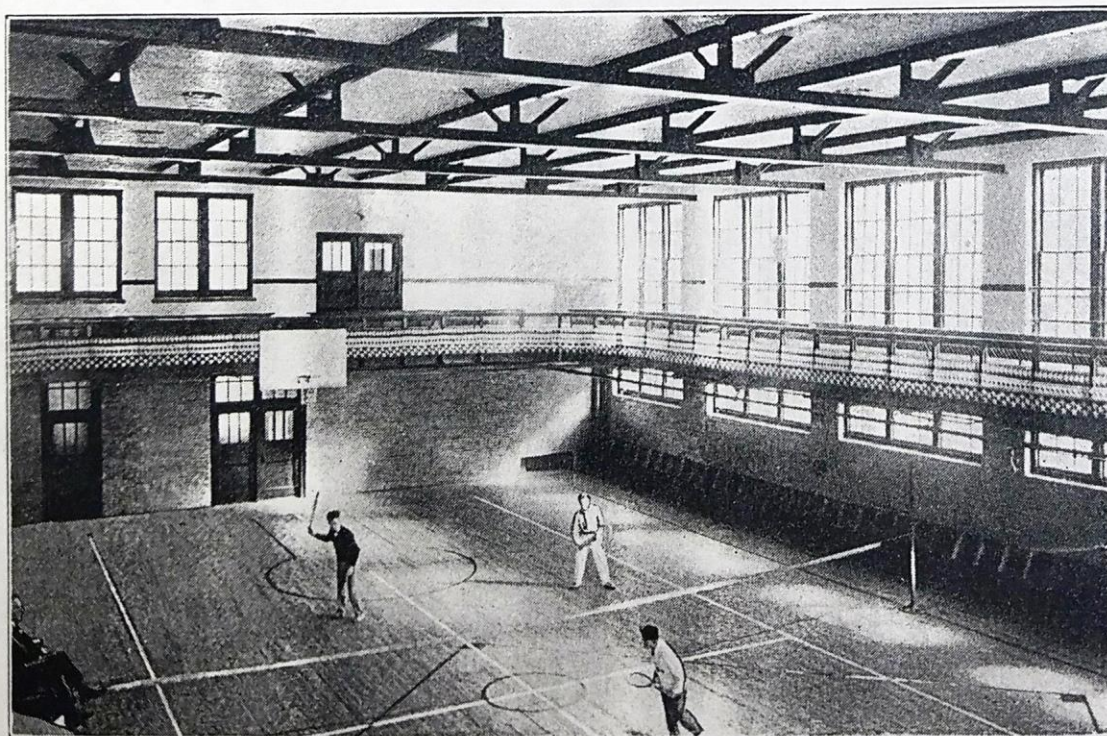
This school was opened in 1917. It was erected on the site which at one time was known as Schlitz Park and later on changed to Lapham Park. As its name implies, it provides education for physically weakened children in a wholesome atmosphere. The building stands on the Roosevelt Junior High School site. The cost of the building was \$13,370. The enrollment is 132.



A CLASSROOM IN THE LAPHAM PARK OPEN AIR SCHOOL



THE LAPHAM PARK SOCIAL CENTER — The first section of this building was erected in 1914. The structure was completed in 1925. The building is used for Americanization classes, social center activities and athletic contests. It also houses one of the city's branch libraries.



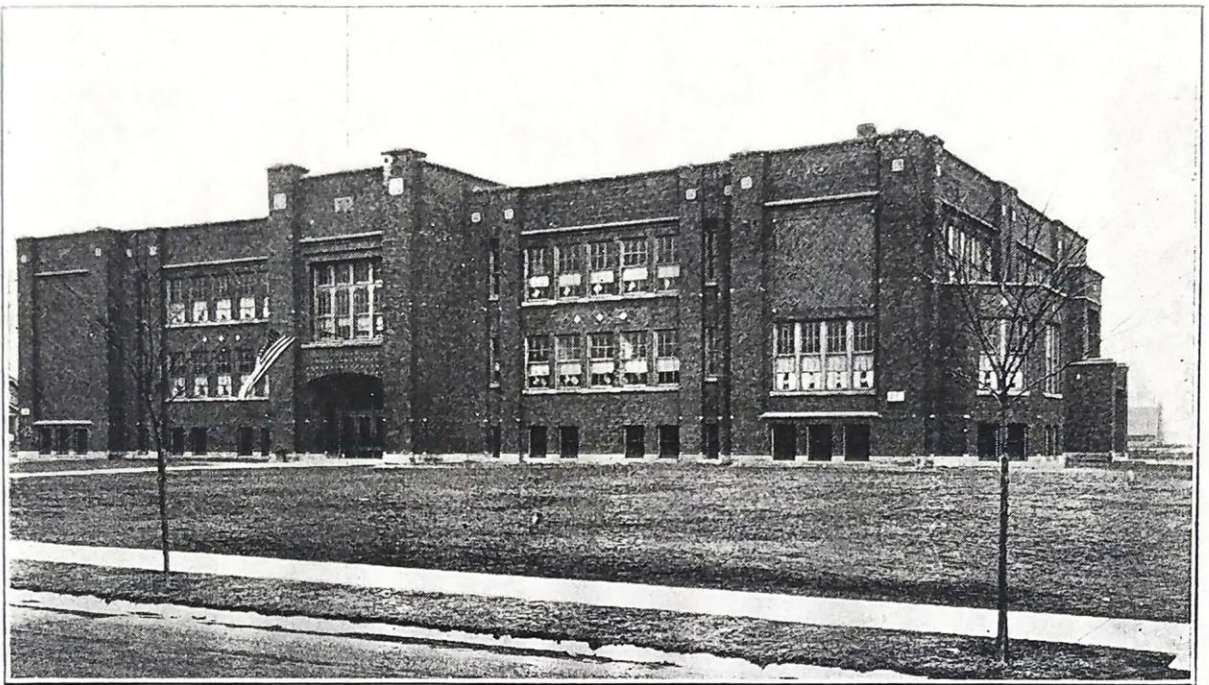
GYMNASIUM, LAPHAM PARK SOCIAL CENTER



KEEFFE AVENUE SCHOOL
(Formerly Davis Street School)
Keeffe Avenue, between
Seventh and Eighteenth Streets

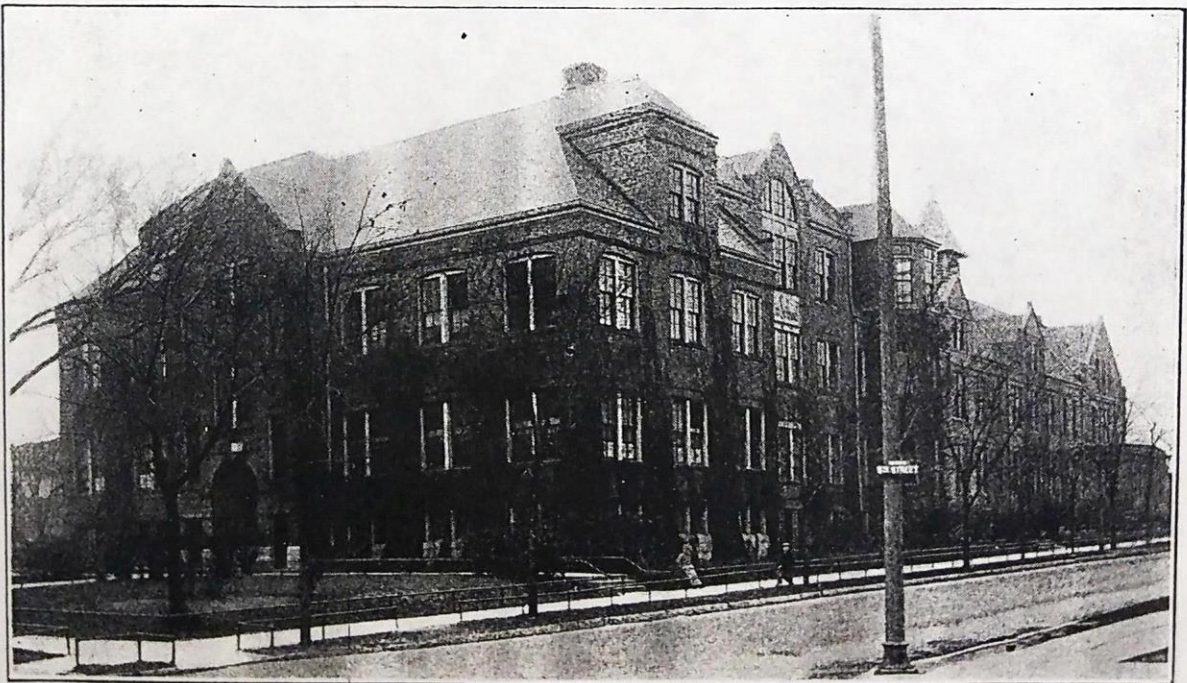


LEE SCHOOL
Ninth Street and
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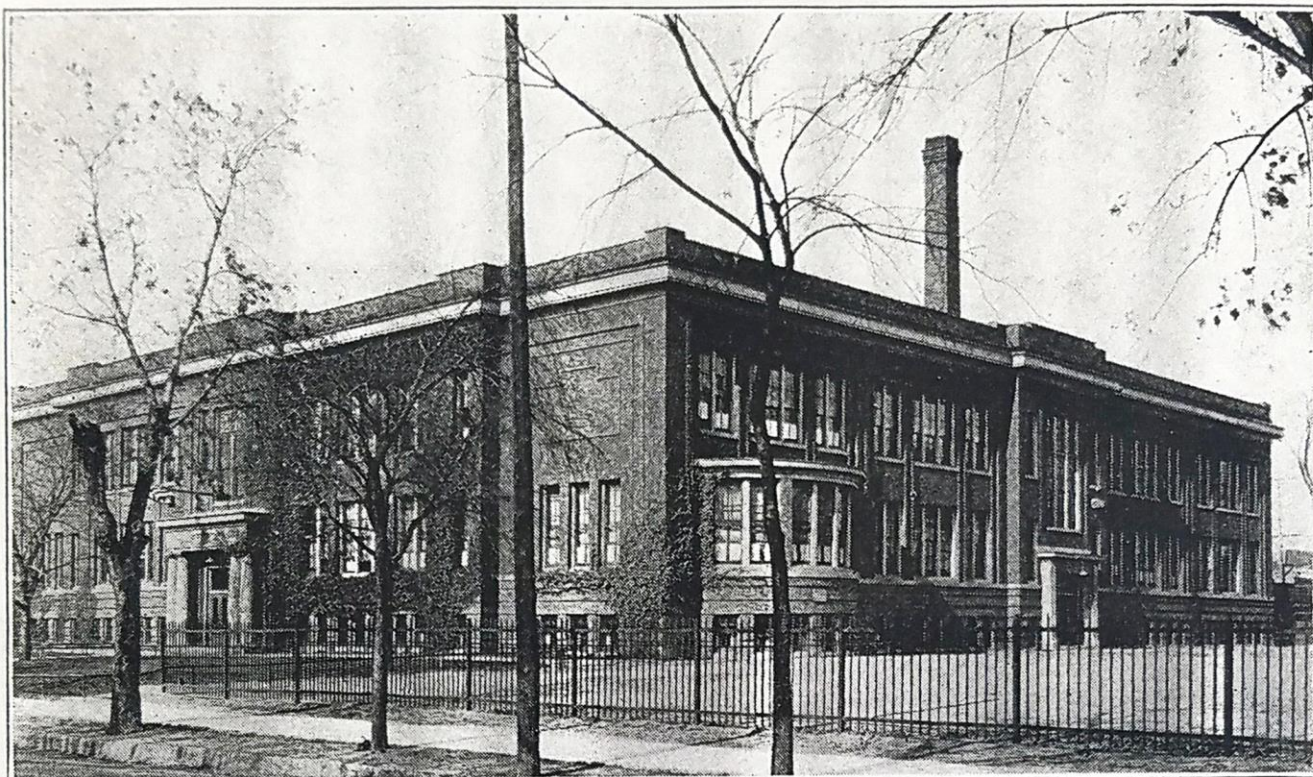
KEEFE AVENUE SCHOOL
(Formerly Davis Street)
Keefe Avenue, between Sixteenth
and Seventeenth Streets

Opened in September 1918 as the Davis Street School, it was subsequently given its present name. There are twelve classrooms. The enrollment is 490. The cost of the grounds and building was \$135,340.



LEE SCHOOL
Ninth Street and
Meinecke Avenue

This school was established in 1892 as the Tenth District Primary No. 4. The building has nineteen classrooms and an assembly room on the first floor. The enrollment is 737. The cost of the grounds and building was nearly \$157,000.



LLOYD STREET SCHOOL

*Twelfth and Lloyd
Streets*

When this school was opened in 1874 it was called the Washington School. The present building was erected in 1910. The school has twenty rooms and an auditorium on the first floor. The cost of the grounds and building was \$117,170. The enrollment is 833.



NINTH STREET SCHOOL

*Ninth and Sherman
Streets*

This school was established in 1866 under the name of Washington School. The original building is still in use as part of the present twenty-five room structure. It also has a small assembly hall. The enrollment is 920. The cost of the grounds and building was \$144,030.



RING STREET SCHOOL

*Ninth and Ring
Streets*

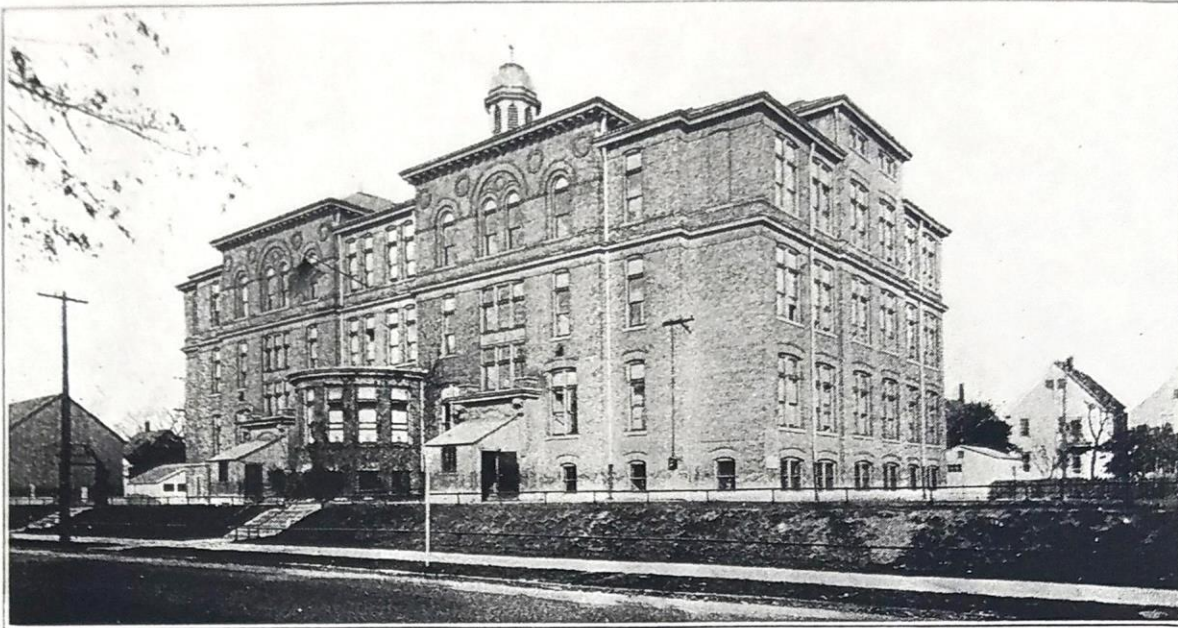
Before schools were named according to streets this school was known as the Twenty-first District Primary School, and later Twenty-first District No. 2. It was established in 1897. An addition was built in 1910. It has a capacity of 25 classrooms and an enrollment of 1010. The cost of the building and grounds was \$94,100.



TWELFTH STREET SCHOOL

*Twelfth and Center
Streets*

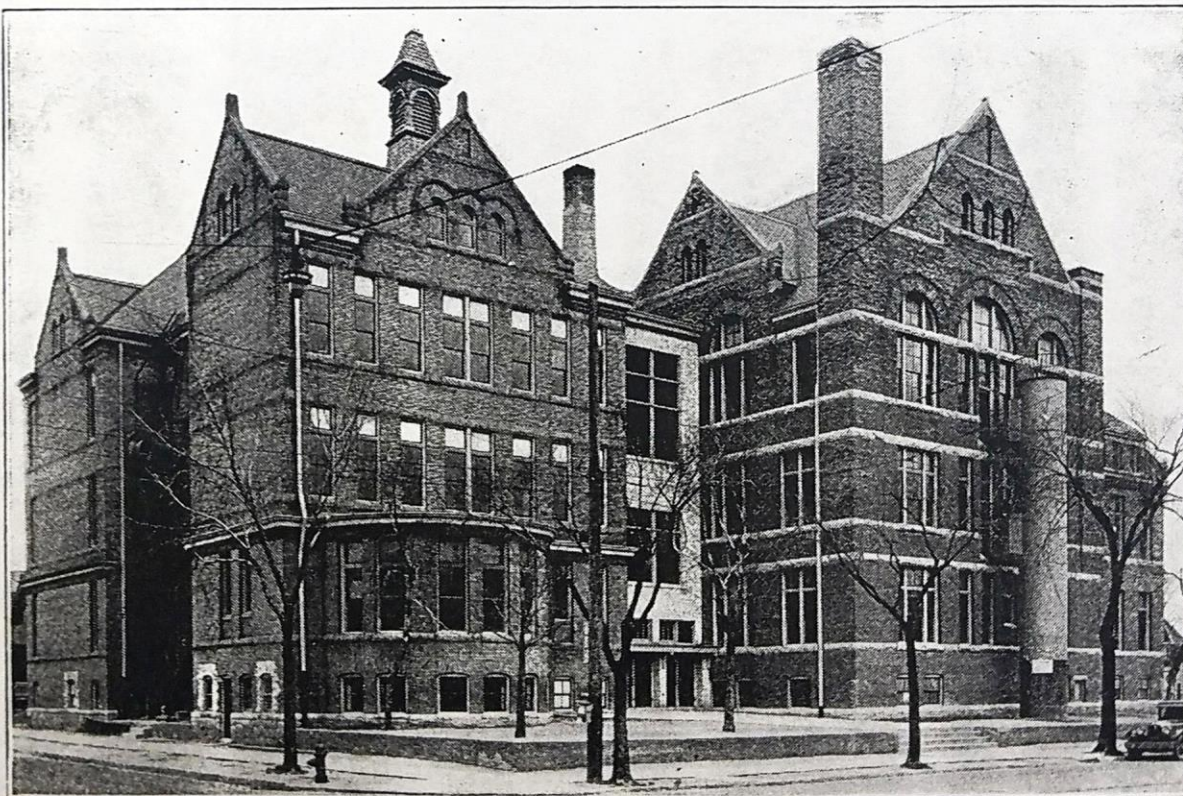
This school was established in 1878 as the Tenth District Branch School, and was later known as Twentieth District No. 1. When in 1912 all schools were given street names it became known under its present name. There are fourteen classrooms; one barrack and an assembly hall which bring the total capacity to seventeen rooms. The enrollment is 764. The cost of the grounds and building was \$63,860.



TWENTIETH STREET SCHOOL

*Twentieth Street, Near
Wright Street*

This school was established in 1901 as the Twentieth District Primary School No. 2. There are seventeen classrooms, and an assembly hall on the third floor. The enrollment is 784. The cost of the grounds and building was \$71,150.



TWENTY-FIRST STREET SCHOOL

*Twenty-first and Center
Streets*

This school was established in 1886 as the Twentieth District Primary School No. 3. There are twenty classrooms and a small hall, the latter on the third floor. The enrollment is 790. The cost of the grounds and building was \$63,150.

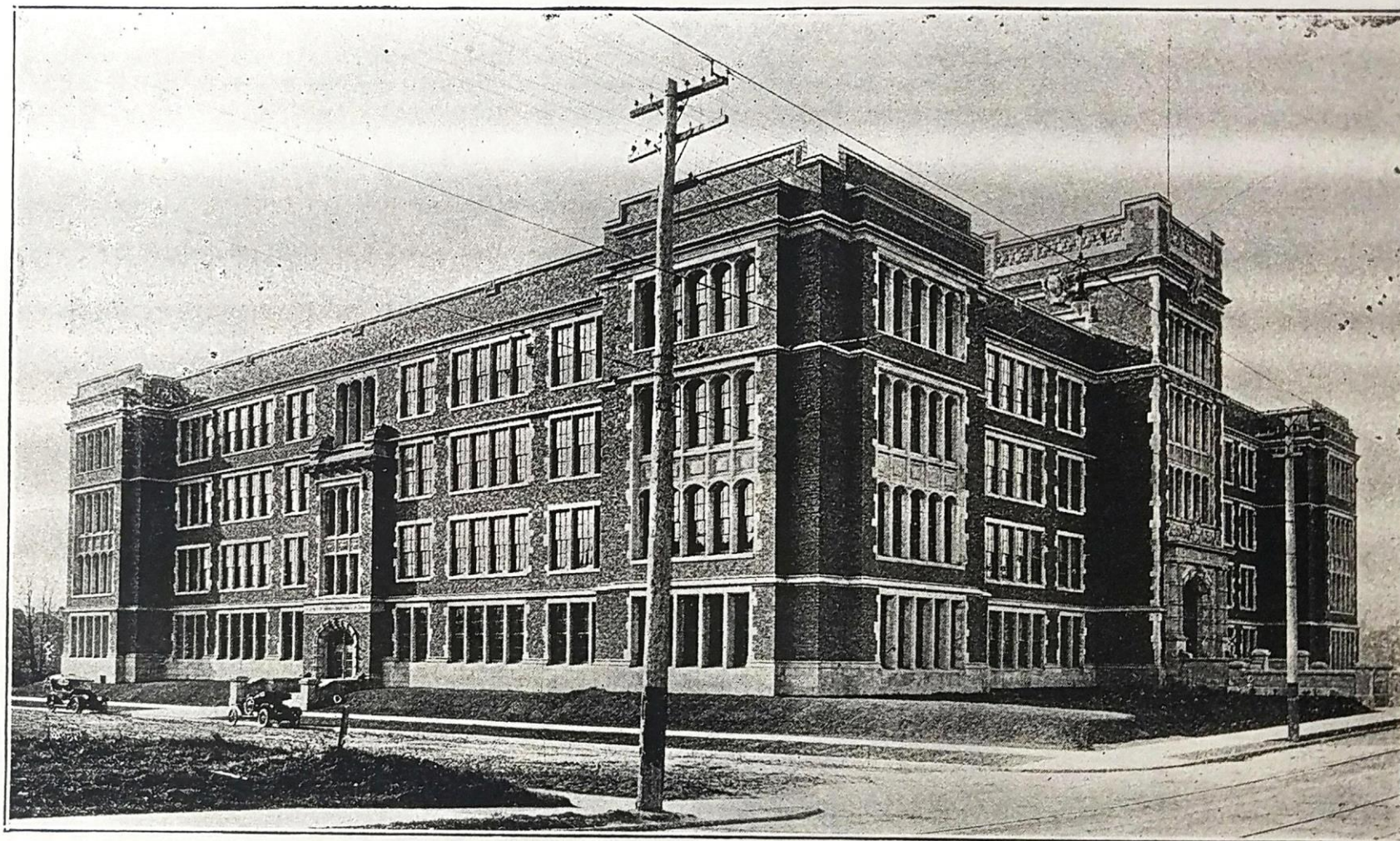
The Riverside High School District



CONTRIBUTING SCHOOLS

BARTLETT AVENUE
CENTER STREET
FRATNEY STREET
GREEN BAY AVENUE

HARTFORD AVENUE
MARYLAND AVENUE
NORTH PIERCE STREET
THIRD STREET



RIVERSIDE HIGH SCHOOL

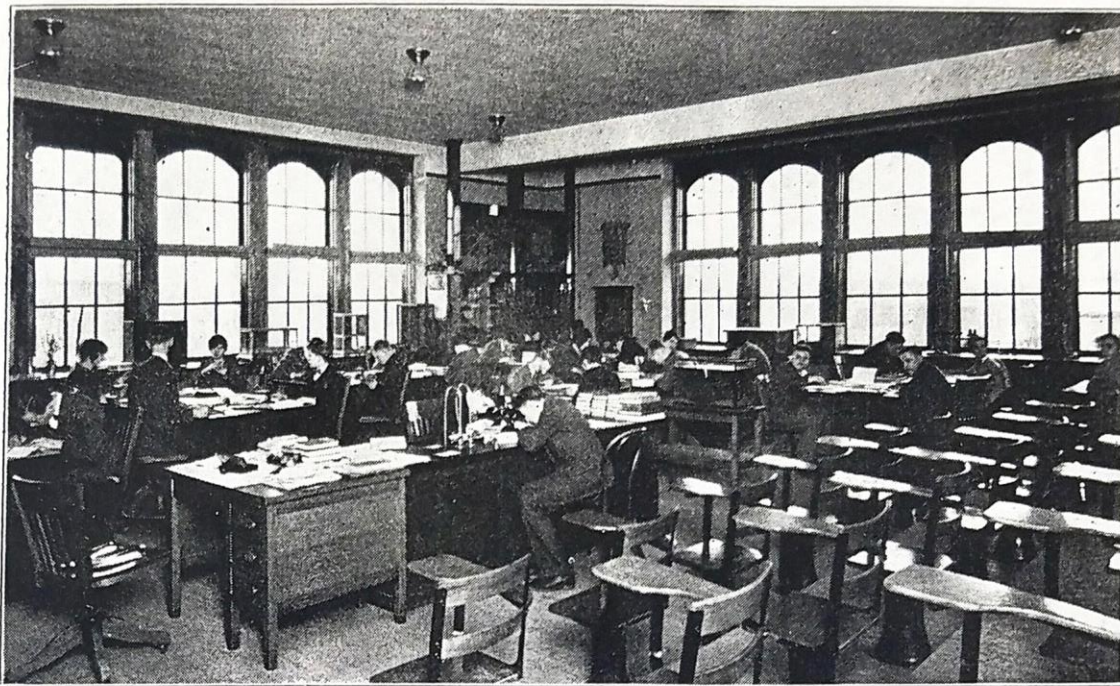
*East Locust Street and
Bartlett Avenue*

This building was first occupied in 1915. It has forty-eight rooms used for classrooms, laboratory and shop purposes. It has an auditorium with a capacity of 1500, two gymnasiums, a cafeteria, and a library. The cost of the building and grounds including an athletic field was \$505,000. The present enrollment of the school is approximately 1450.

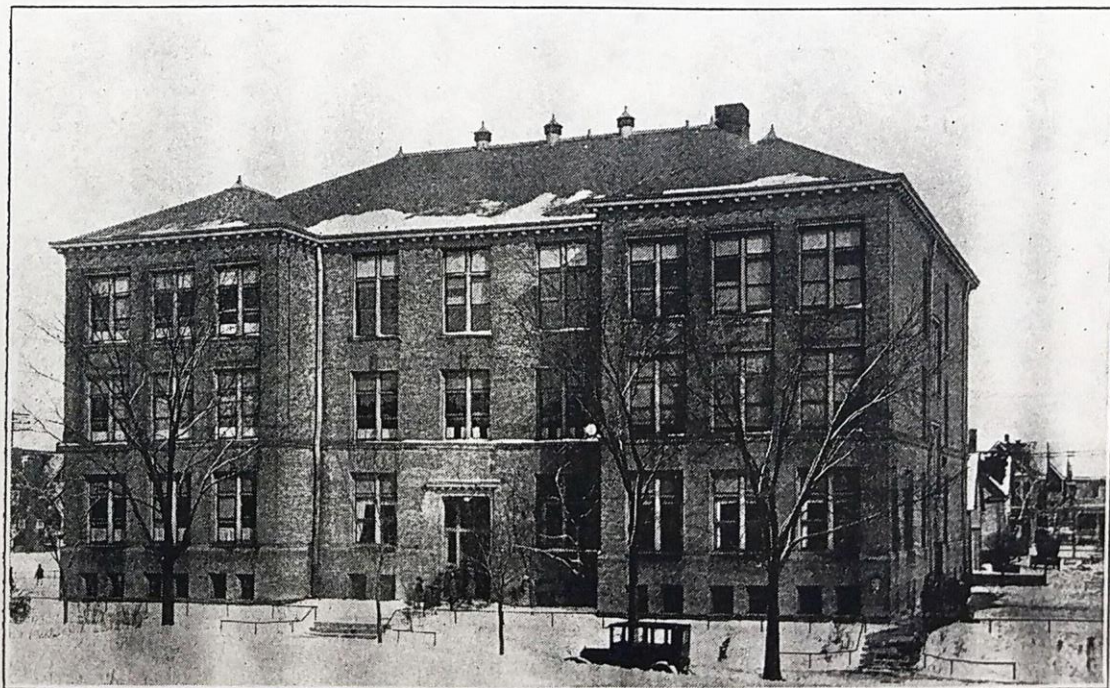
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BIOLOGY LABORATORY, RIVERSIDE HIGH SCHOOL



BARTLETT AVENUE SCHOOL

*Bartlett and Linwood
Avenues*

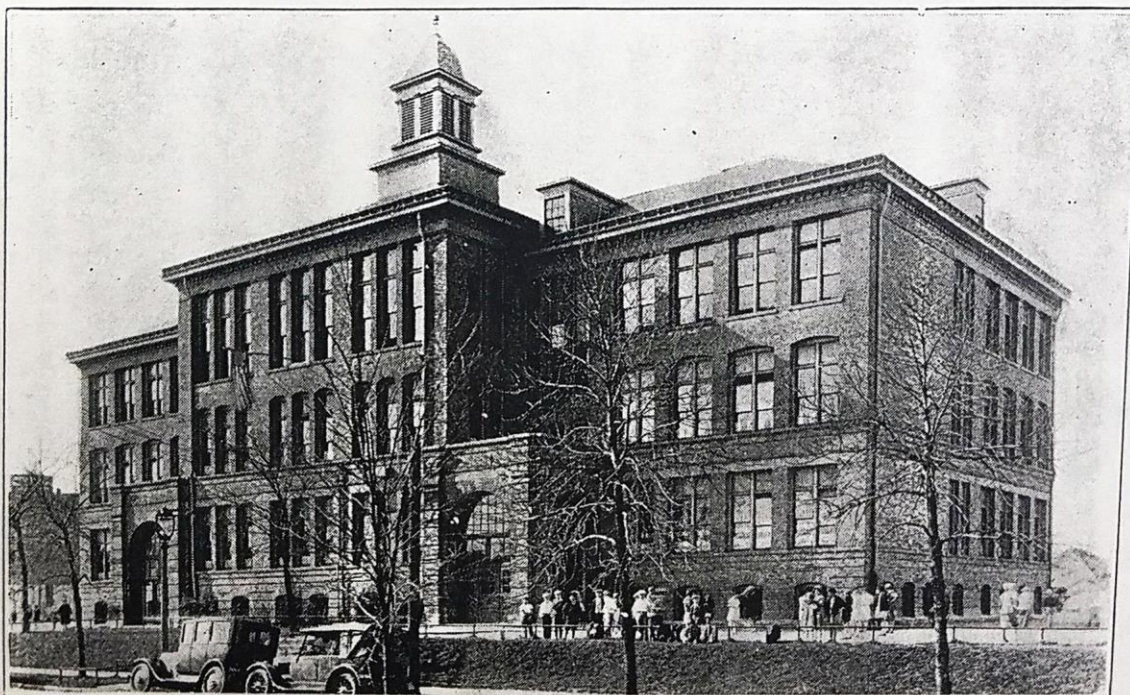
Opened in 1900 as an annex to the Maryland Avenue School, the present building was occupied in 1902. The building has fourteen classrooms and a small assembly hall. The cost of the building and grounds was \$72,000. The present enrollment is 576.



CENTER STREET SCHOOL

*Center Street and
Island Avenue*

Established in 1878, this later became the Center Street School. The building is a twenty-room structure exclusive of basement rooms and a small third floor auditorium which has been pressed into use for classroom purposes. One barrack is used for Manual Training purposes. The cost of the grounds and building was \$147,400.



FRATNEY STREET SCHOOL

*Fratney Street and
Concordia Avenue*

This school was opened in 1903 as the Twenty-first District School No. 3. The building has sixteen classrooms and an auditorium on the third floor. The cost of the grounds and building was \$69,890. The enrollment is 732.



HARTFORD

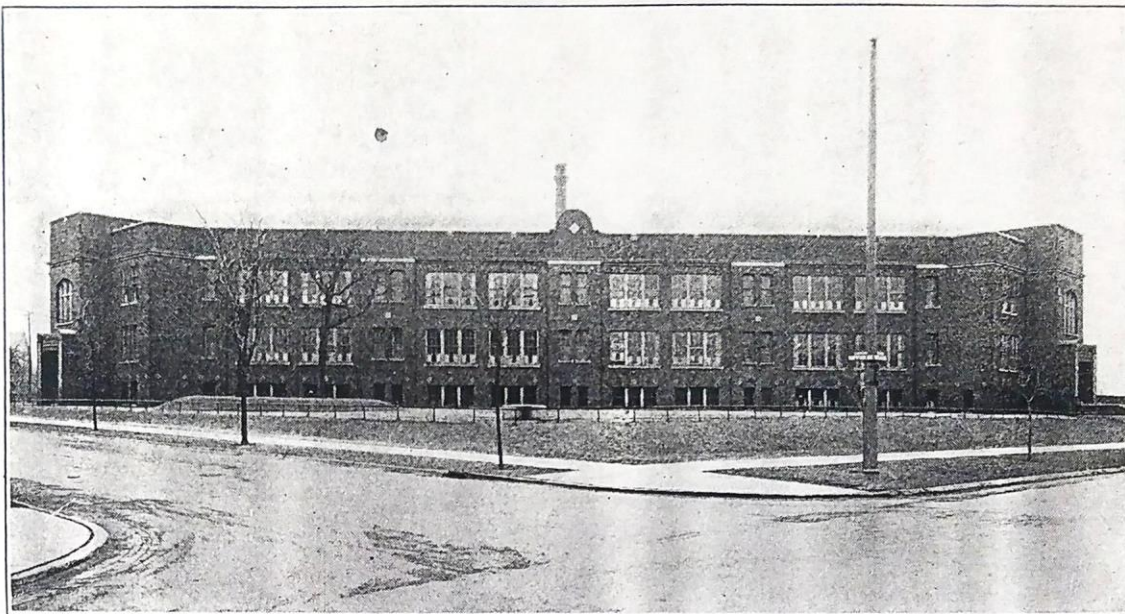
Hartford



GREEN BAY

*Green Bay
Melroe*

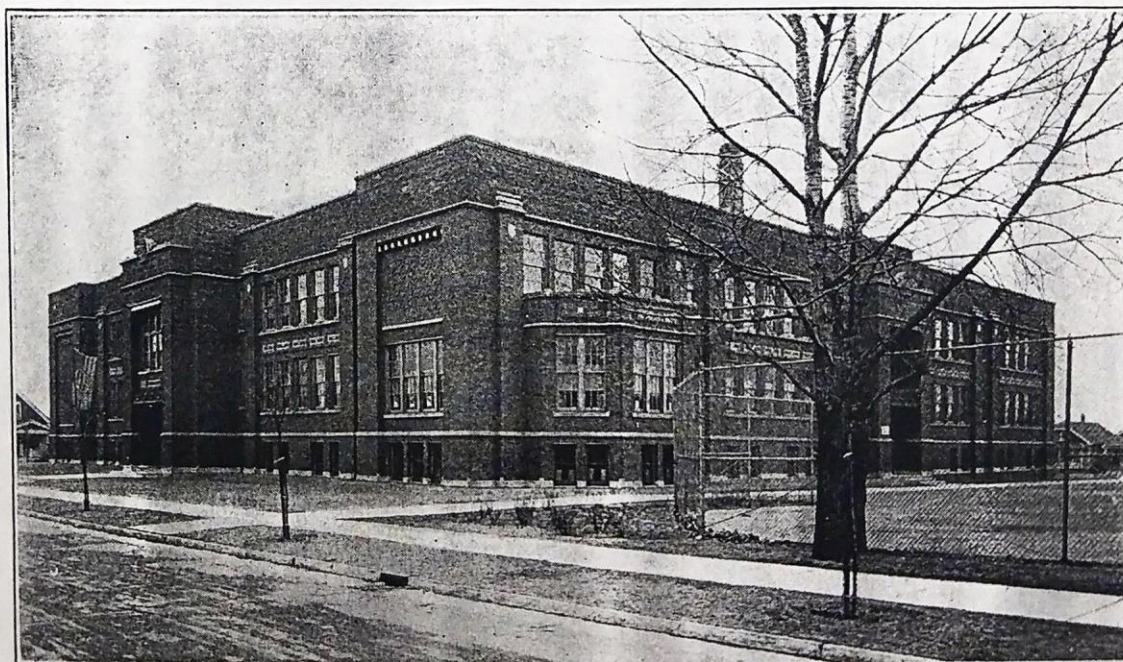
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HARTFORD AVENUE SCHOOL

*Hartford and Maryland
Avenues*

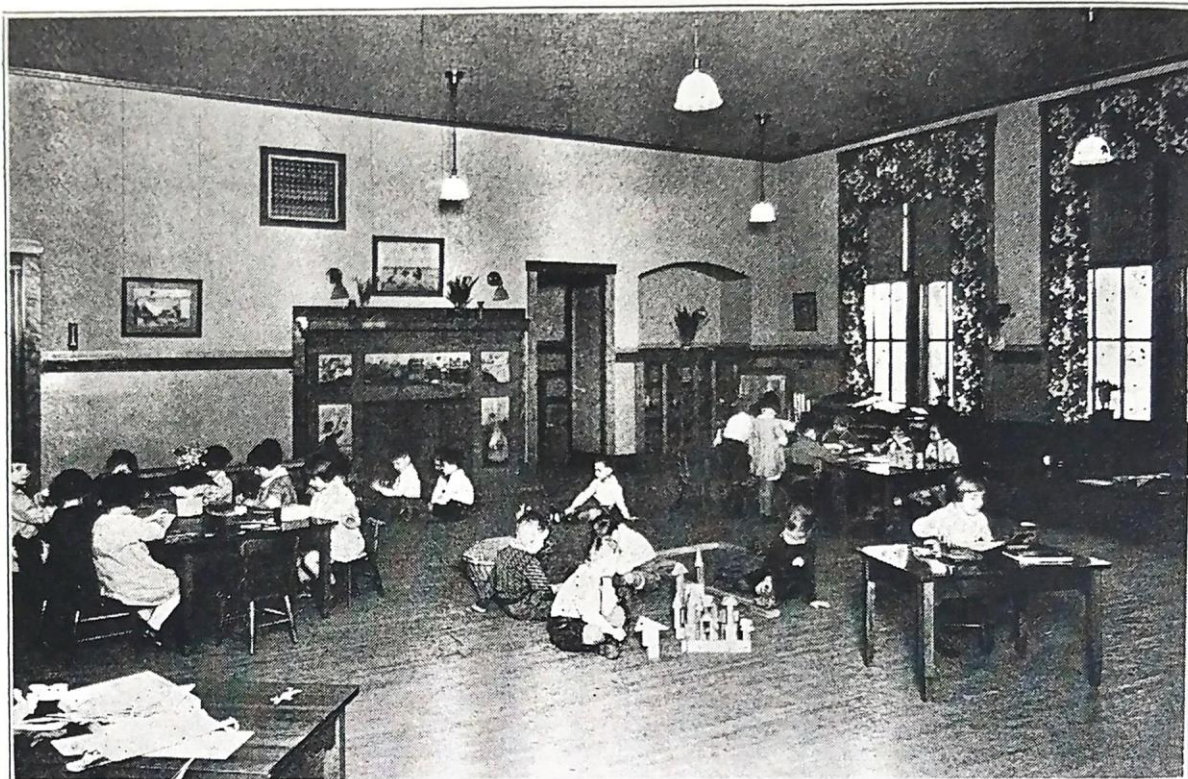
Established in 1916, the present building was opened in 1919 after four barrack rooms had served as a school for some time. The number of classrooms now is twelve. The cost of the grounds and building was \$169,160. The enrollment is 614.



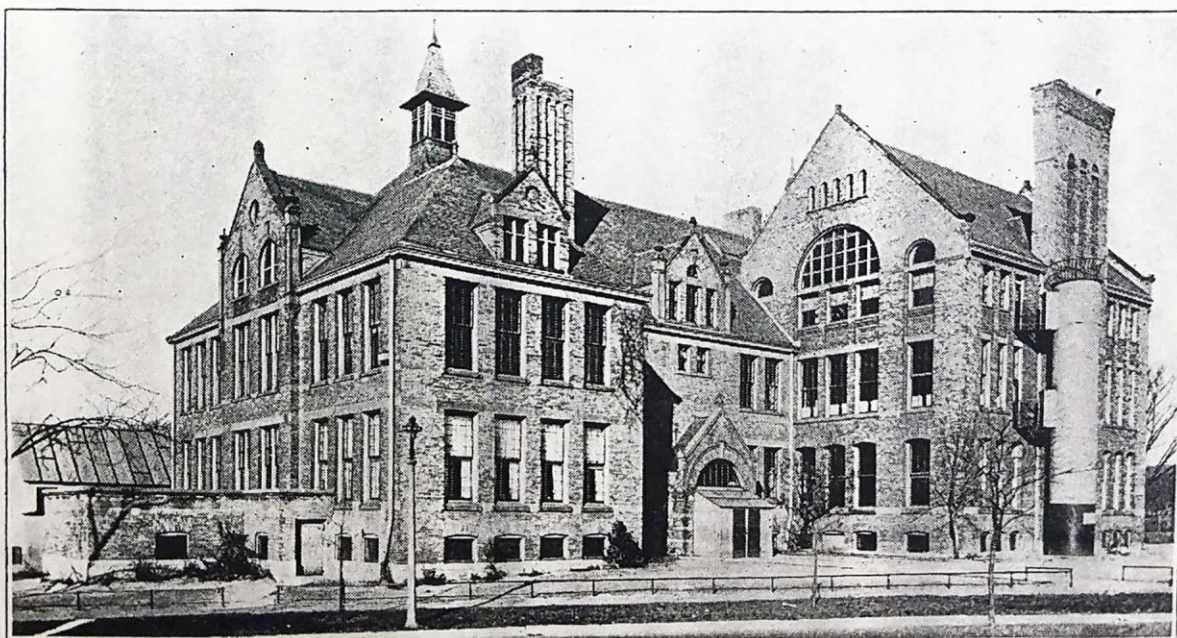
GREEN BAY AVENUE SCHOOL

*Green Bay Avenue and
Melvina Street*

Before this school came into the city in 1914 through territorial annexation it was known as the Williamsburg School. The fourteen-room adobe structure, which stood about three blocks south of the present site, soon proved to be inadequate for the rapidly growing population in that section and building operations on a new building were begun at once. The new building was opened in 1919. The building has nineteen classrooms, and an auditorium on the first floor. The cost of the grounds was \$9,180; the cost of the building was \$199,350. The present enrollment is 961.



KINDERGARTEN ROOM IN THE HARTFORD AVENUE SCHOOL



MARYLAND AVENUE SCHOOL

*Prospect and Maryland
Avenues*

This school was established in 1863 as a branch of the old First Ward School. It was then called the Murray School. The building has fourteen classrooms. In addition two barracks are required to accommodate the load.

The enrollment is 762. The cost of the grounds and building was \$80,950.

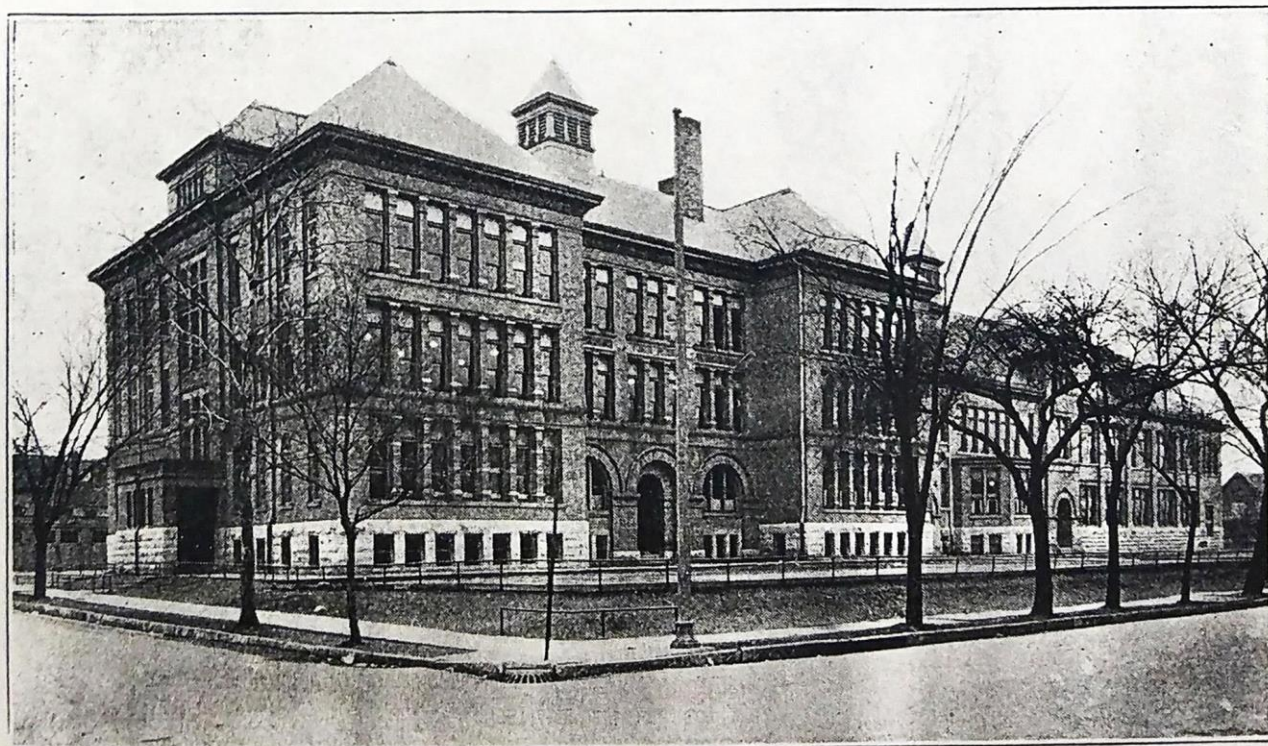


NORTH PIERCE STREET SCHOOL

*North Pierce and
Center Streets*

is 636. The cost of the grounds and building was \$64,270.

This school was established in 1892 as the Thirteenth District Primary School No. 4. There are twelve classrooms and a third floor auditorium which is being used for classroom purposes. The enrollment



THIRD STREET SCHOOL

*Third and Ring
Streets*

This school was established in 1891 as the Thirteenth District Primary No. 3. A large addition was built in 1917 bringing it up to a twenty room capacity. There is also an auditorium on the first floor. The cost of the grounds and building was \$162,360. The present enrollment is 878.



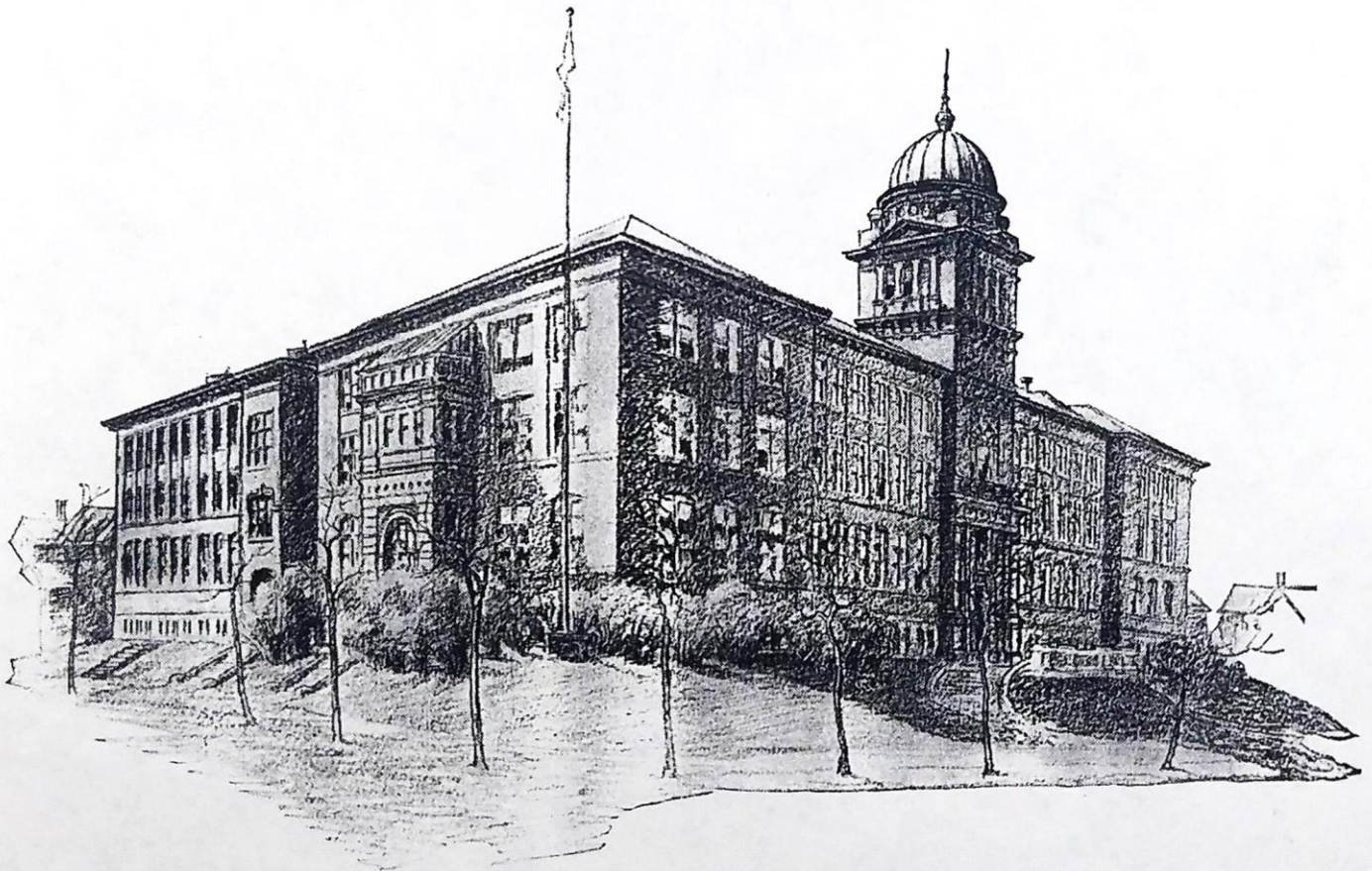
THE CITY SCHOOL STADIUM (Windlake Avenue and Becher Street)

The South Division High School District

CONTRIBUTING SCHOOLS

EIGHTEENTH AVENUE
FOREST HOME AVENUE
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GRANT STREET
ALBERT E. KAGEL

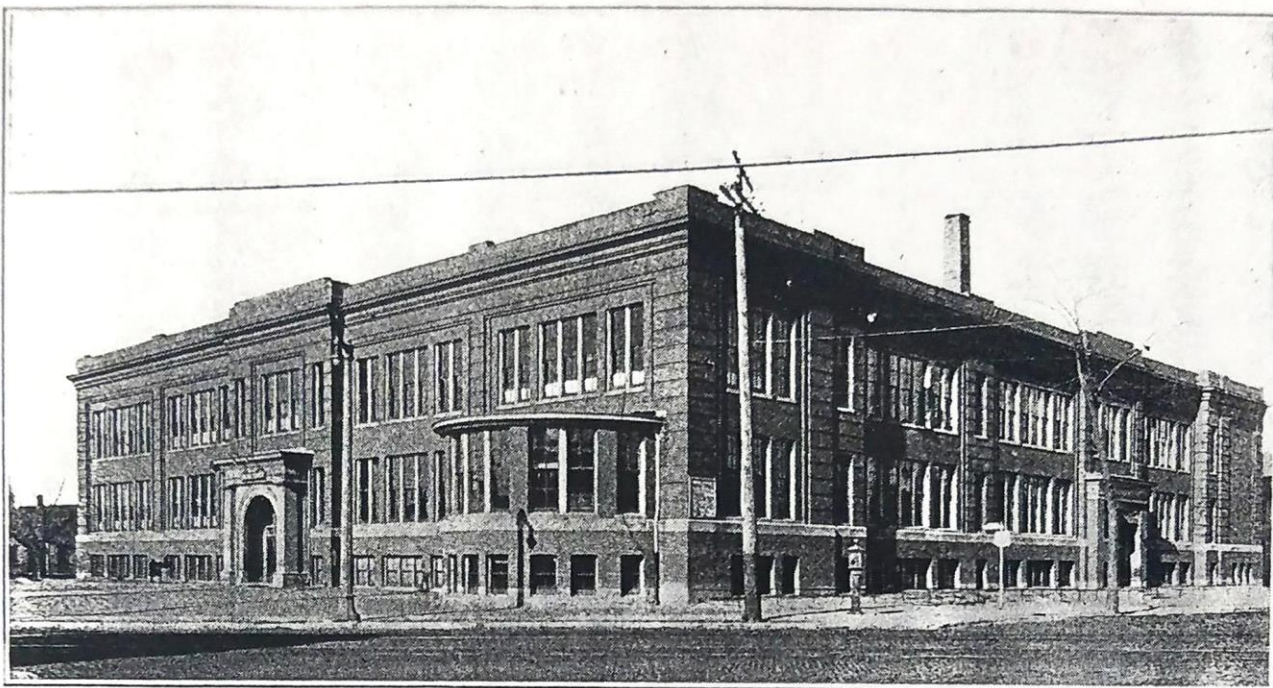
LINCOLN AVENUE
MADISON STREET
SIXTEENTH AVENUE
SCOTT STREET
TWENTY-FIFTH AVENUE



SOUTH DIVISION HIGH SCHOOL

*Lapham Street and
Eighth Avenue*

This school was the second high school to be established in this city. As a result of vigorous efforts to compel children residing within a few blocks to the east of this school to attend the Bay View High School, the enrollment has been held down to approximately 1600. There is a crying need for an addition to this building, for which provision has recently been made in the Board's Five Year Building Program. The present structure was erected at a cost of less than \$200,000.



FOREST HOME AVENUE SCHOOL

*Forest Home and Tenth
Avenues*

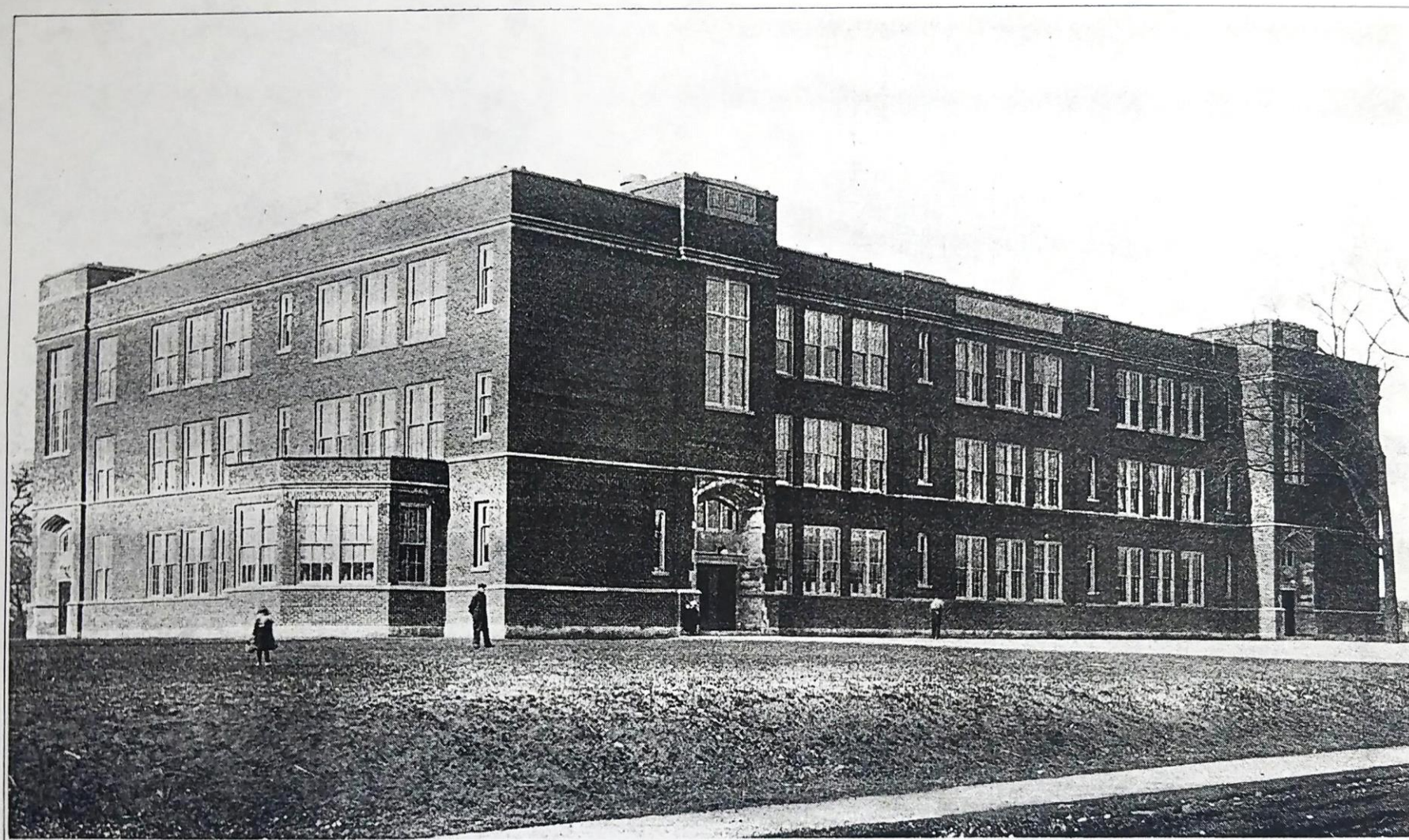
This school was originally known as the Franklin School. Its history dates back to 1874. The building has twenty-five classrooms besides rooms and equipment for social center activities. The cost of the grounds was \$32,150; the cost of the building was \$111,050. The enrollment is 1,151.



EIGHTEENTH AVENUE SCHOOL

*Eighteenth Avenue and
Mitchell Street*

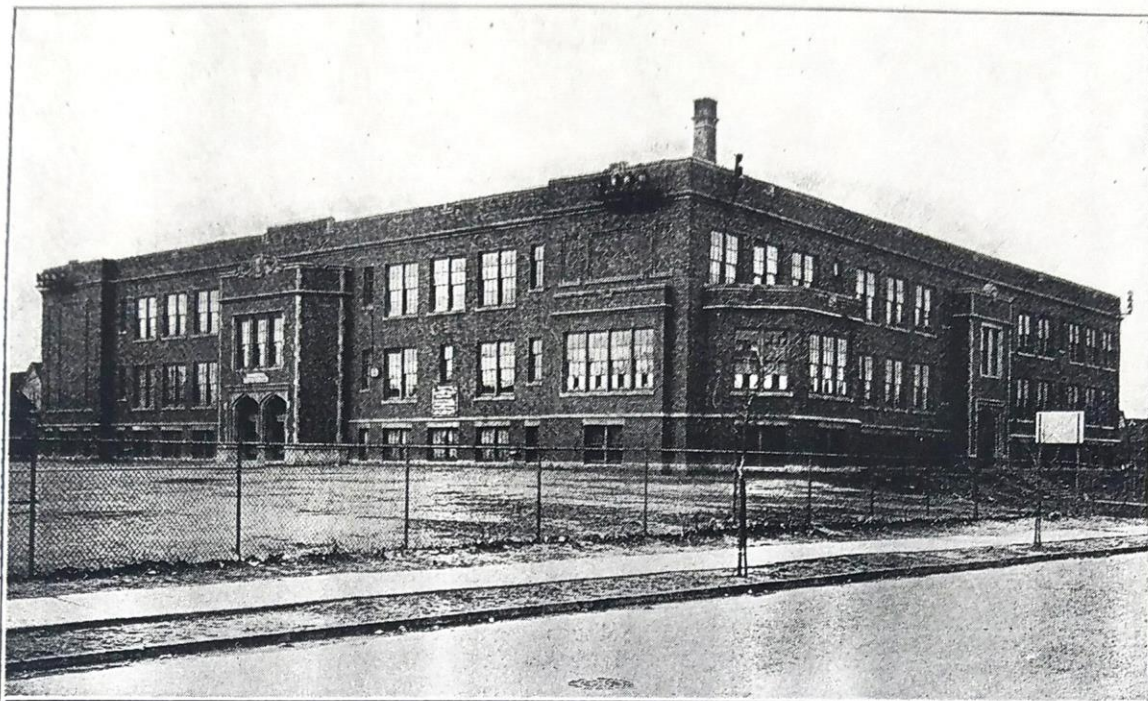
This school became a part of the system in 1894. The building has twenty-eight classrooms and a small assembly hall. The cost of the grounds was \$13,590. The building was erected at a cost of \$145,650. The present enrollment is 1,091.



GREENFIELD SCHOOL

*Thirtieth Avenue and
Mitchell Street*

This school came into the city in the fall of 1926 by annexation. At that time it was known as the school of Joint District No. 16, Towns of Wauwatosa and Greenfield. The building has nineteen classrooms and an auditorium. The enrollment is 638.



GRANT STREET SCHOOL

*Twenty-fourth Avenue and
Grant Street*

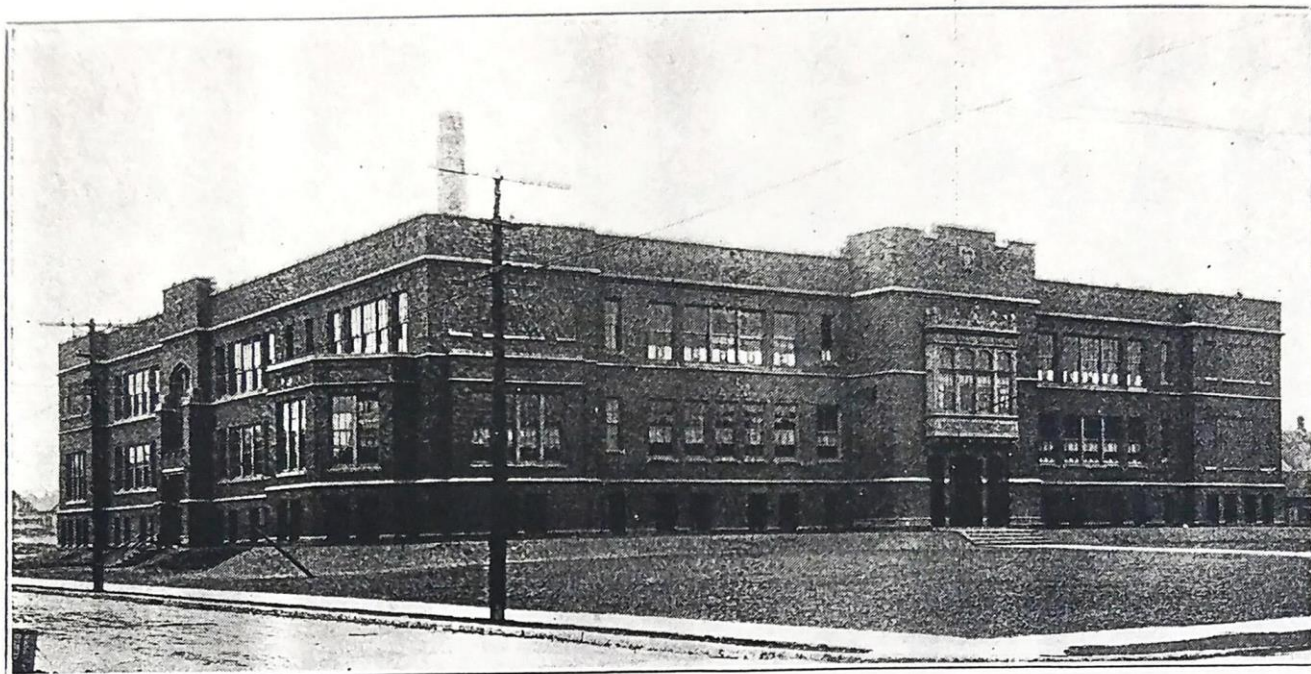
Opened in the fall of 1913. The building has nineteen classrooms and an auditorium. It is also used for social center purposes. The cost of the grounds was \$16,700; the cost of the building was \$161,190. The present enrollment is 894.



ALBERT E. KAGEL SCHOOL

*Seventh Avenue and
Mineral Street*

The earliest records of this school appear in the reports of 1860, although it may have been in existence before that time. Originally it was called the Douglas School, then the Mineral Street School, but in 1926 it was given its present name in honor of the late Assistant Superintendent, Albert E. Kagel. The building has sixteen classrooms and a small assembly hall. In addition two barrack rooms are in use. The enrollment is 800. The cost of the grounds and building was \$101,720.



LINCOLN AVENUE SCHOOL

*Thirteenth and Lincoln
Avenues*

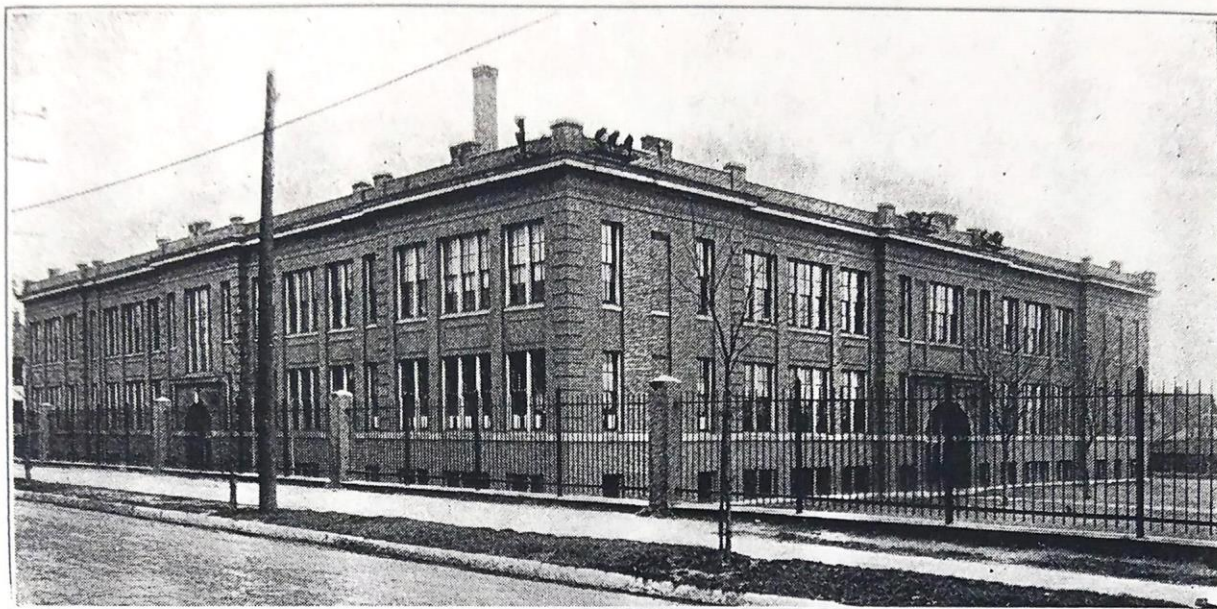
This school was opened in 1915 in a ten-room barrack building on the present site. With the opening of the new building in 1918 its name was changed to Lincoln Avenue. There are twenty-one classrooms, including open air equipment and an auditorium. The cost of the grounds was \$32,300; the cost of the building was \$171,860. The enrollment is 767.



MADISON STREET SCHOOL

*Madison Street and
Fifth Avenue*

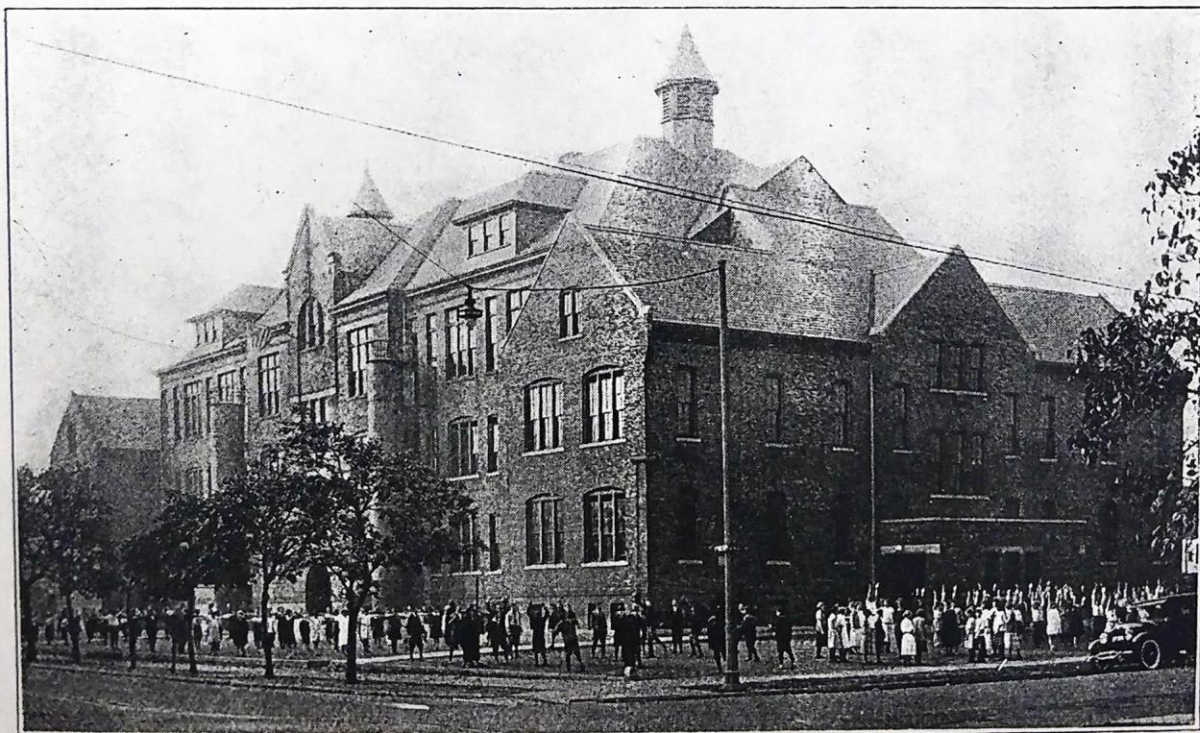
This school was opened in 1879. The building has ten rooms. The enrollment is 438. The cost of the grounds and building was \$48,820.



SCOTT STREET SCHOOL

*Twenty-sixth Avenue and
Scott Street*

When this school was opened in 1904 it was located on Madison Street between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Avenues. The present building was built in 1915. There are nineteen classrooms and an auditorium. The enrollment is 934. The cost of the grounds was \$29,000; the cost of the building was \$134,570.



SIXTEENTH AVENUE SCHOOL

*Sixteenth Avenue and
Mineral Street*

This school was opened in 1885. The capacity of the building is twenty-one classrooms and a small assembly hall. The cost of the grounds was \$5,000; the cost of the building was \$80,760. The present enrollment is 1,015.



TWENTY-FIFTH AVENUE SCHOOL

*Twenty-fifth Avenue, near
Harrison Street*

This school came into the city in 1910 by territorial annexation as the Layton Park School. There are eight classrooms; the enrollment is 258. The estimated value of the grounds was \$4,000; the estimated value of the building was \$10,000.

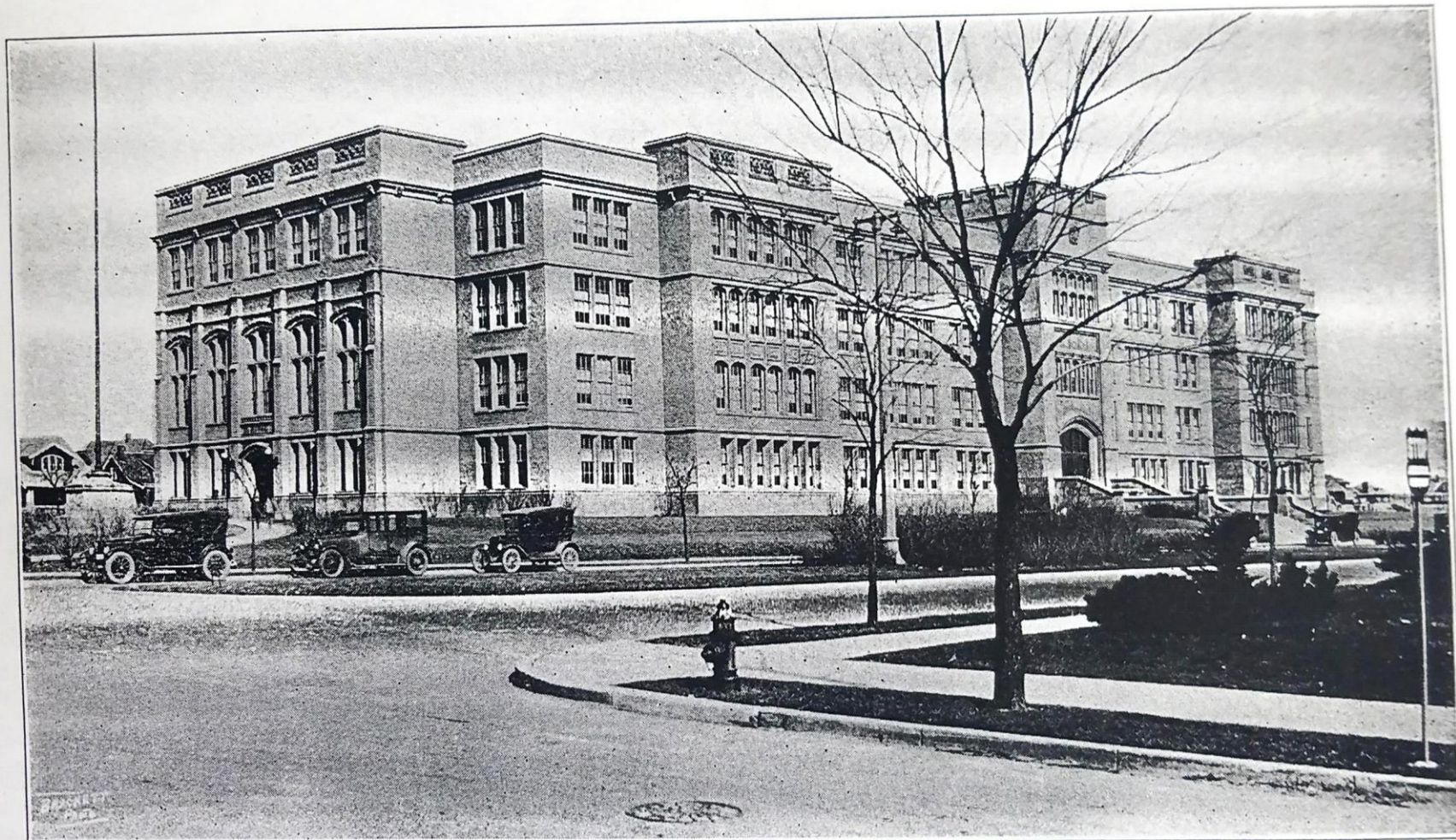
The Washington High School District



CONTRIBUTING SCHOOLS

AUER AVENUE
CLARKE STREET
ELM
HI-MOUNT BOULEVARD
LISBON AVENUE
NEESKARA

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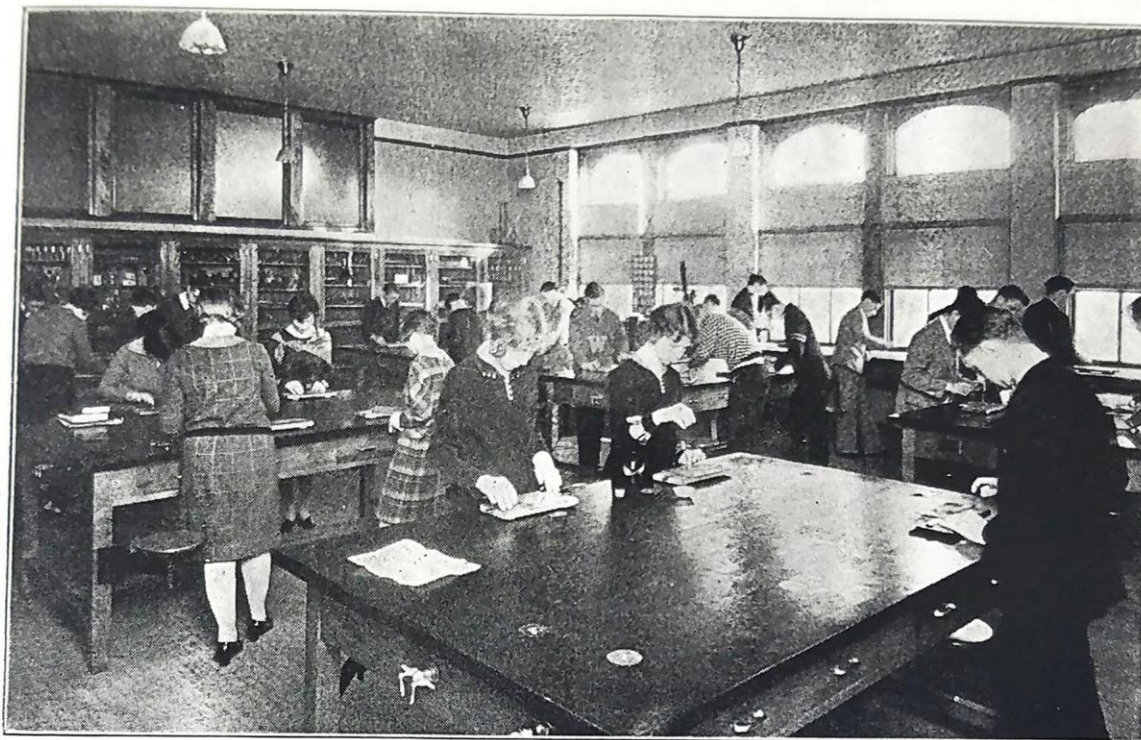


WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

*Sherman Boulevard and
Wright Street*

The present structure was completed in 1915. The building has 82 rooms in addition to an auditorium seating 1600, a cafeteria, two gymnasiums, swimming pools and a library. The cost of the building and grounds including a block for athletic purposes was \$601,700. The school, with an enrollment of 2300, is the largest in the city.

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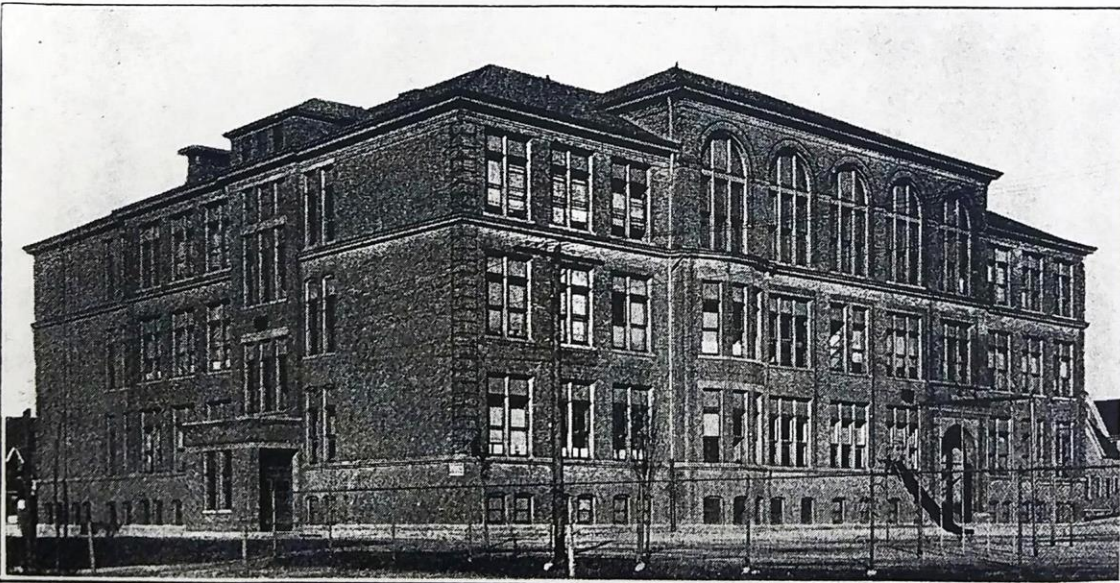
PHYSICS LABORATORY, WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL



THE AUDITORIUM OF THE WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL—In spite of the 1625 seating capacity one-third of the enrollment of the school cannot be accommodated.



LIBRARY, WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL



AUER AVENUE SCHOOL
*Twenty-fourth Street and
Auer Avenue*

Opened in 1901. The school has twenty-one classrooms and social center equipment. The cost of the building and grounds was \$95,000. The present enrollment is 932.

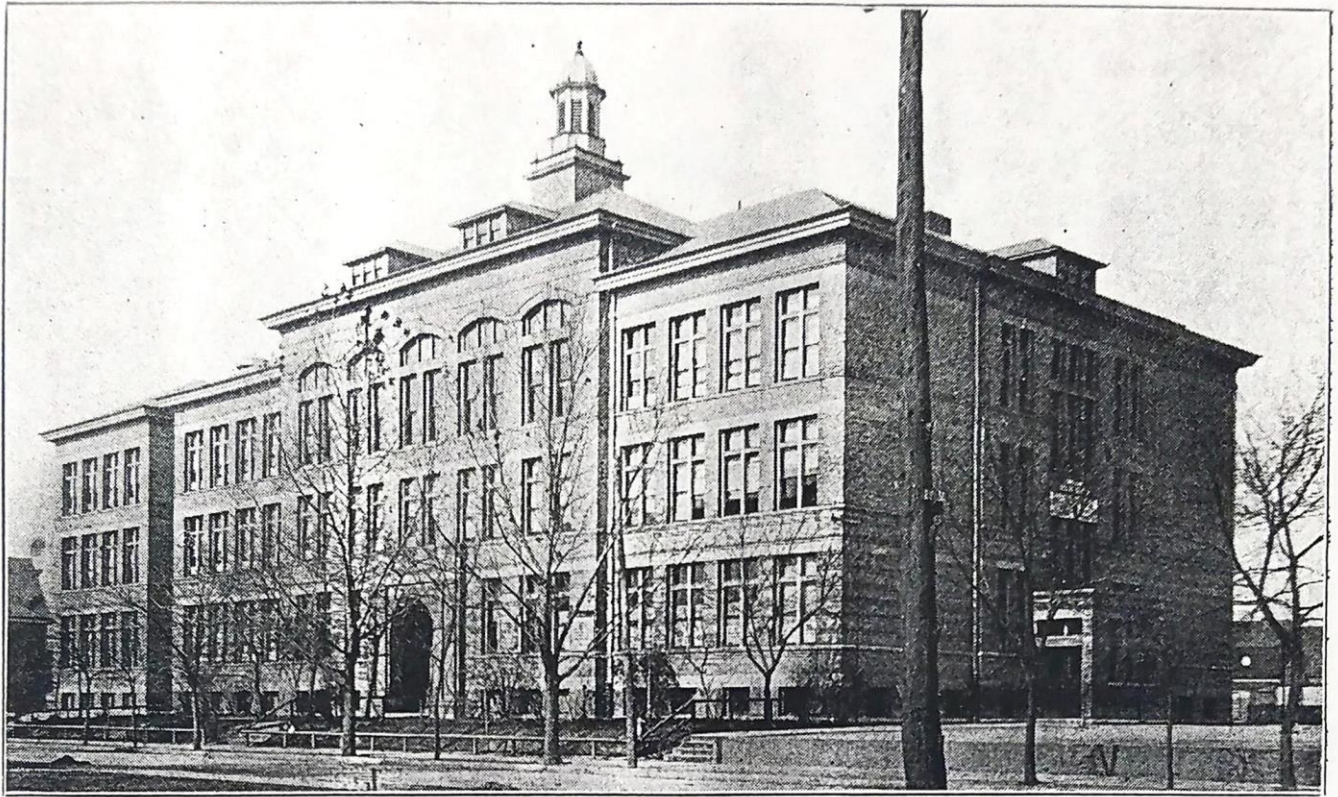


CLARKE SCHOOL
*Twenty-fourth Street and
Clarke Avenue*



ELM SCHOOL
*Garfield Avenue and
Twenty-seventh Street*

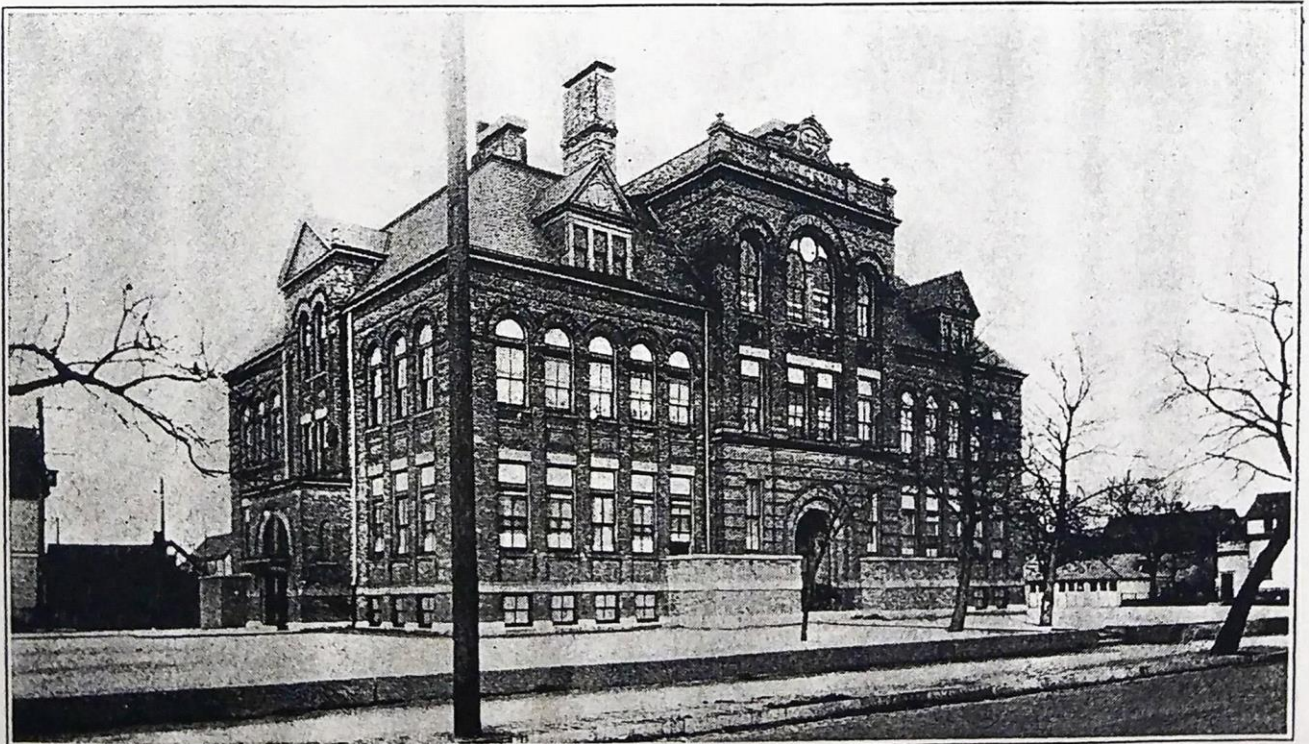
The cost of the building and grounds was \$100,000. The present enrollment is 312.



CLARKE STREET SCHOOL

*Twenty-eighth and Clarke
Streets*

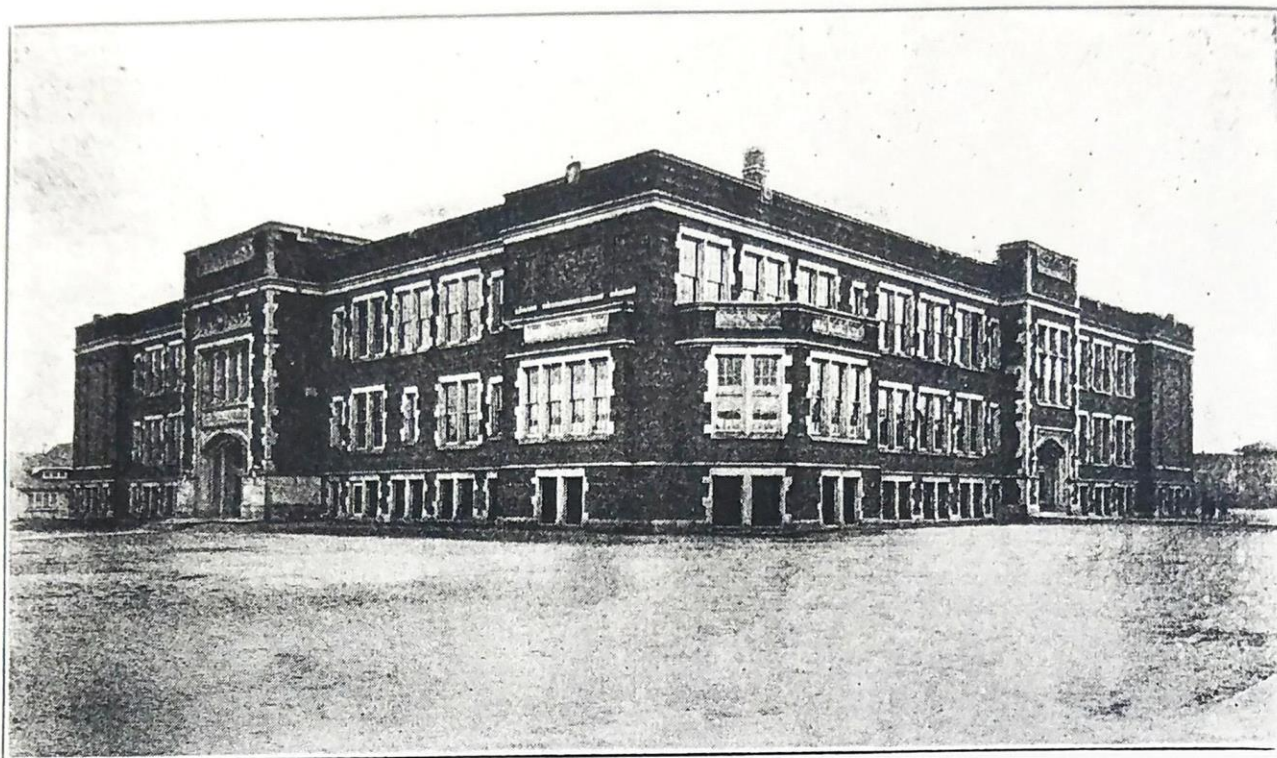
Opened in 1902. The building has twenty classrooms besides social center rooms and equipment. The cost of the building and grounds was \$101,000. The enrollment is 843.



ELM SCHOOL

*Garfield Avenue and
Twenty-seventh Street*

The first record of this school appears in 1893 under the name of Ninth District Primary School No. 3. When in 1912 schools were given street names it was named Elm Street School. The building has eight classrooms, and a small assembly hall on the third floor. The cost of the grounds was \$8,000, and the cost of the building was \$40,190. The present enrollment is 357.



HI-MOUNT BOULEVARD SCHOOL

*Hi-Mount Boulevard and
Garfield Avenue*

auditorium and a gymnasium. The cost of the building and grounds was \$276,490. The enrollment is 883.

Established in 1915. The building was constructed with the idea of displacing the Lisbon Avenue building. An addition was completed in 1923. The building now has twenty-three classrooms, an

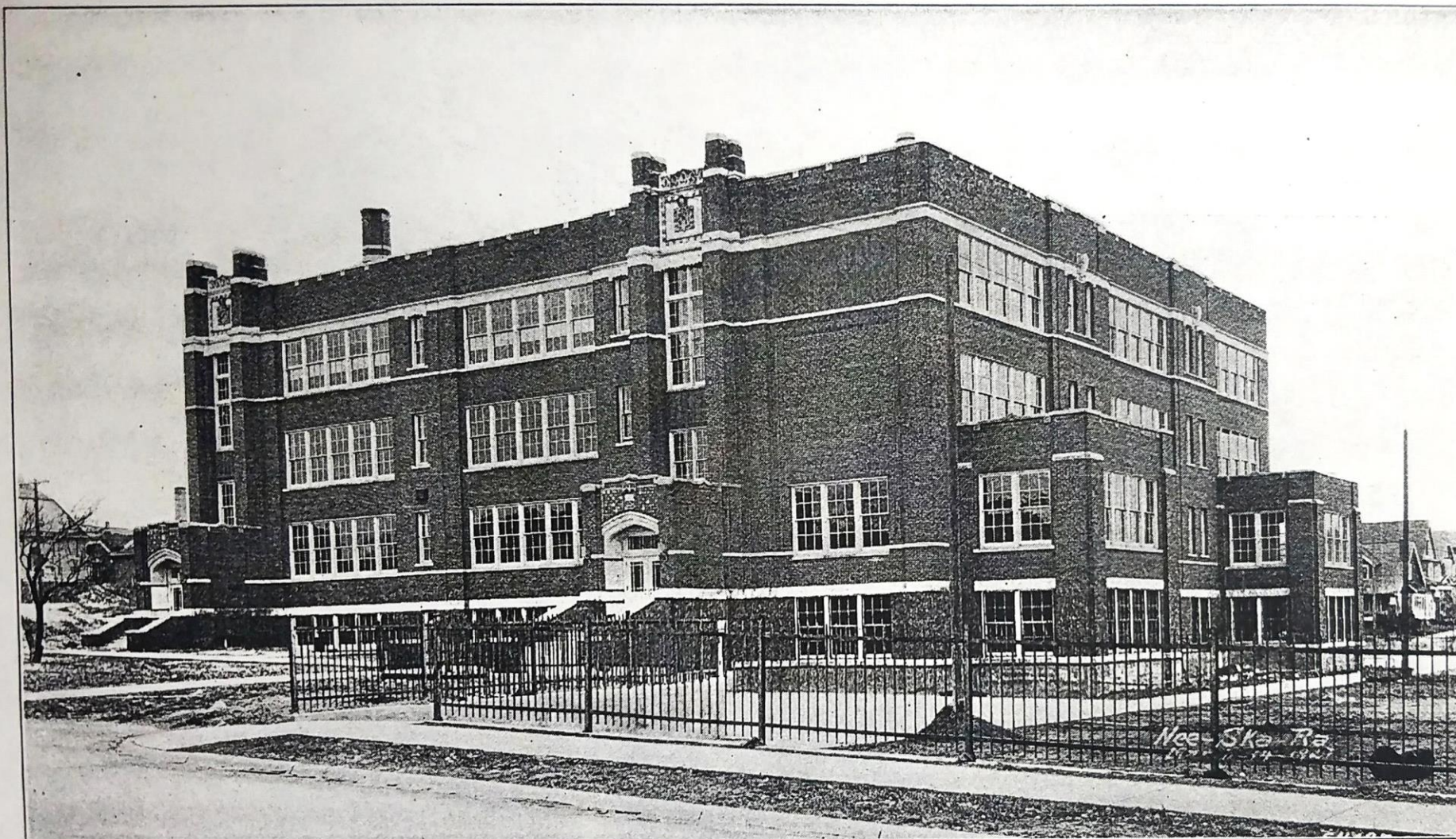


LISBON AVENUE SCHOOL

*Lisbon and North
Avenues*

are six classrooms, two of which are attic rooms. Playground facilities at this school are very inadequate. The enrollment is 277.

Acquired by annexation in 1907. When the Hi-Mount School was opened in 1915 this school was vacated. Crowded conditions made it necessary to reopen the school in 1920. Since then it has again served as a primary grade school. There



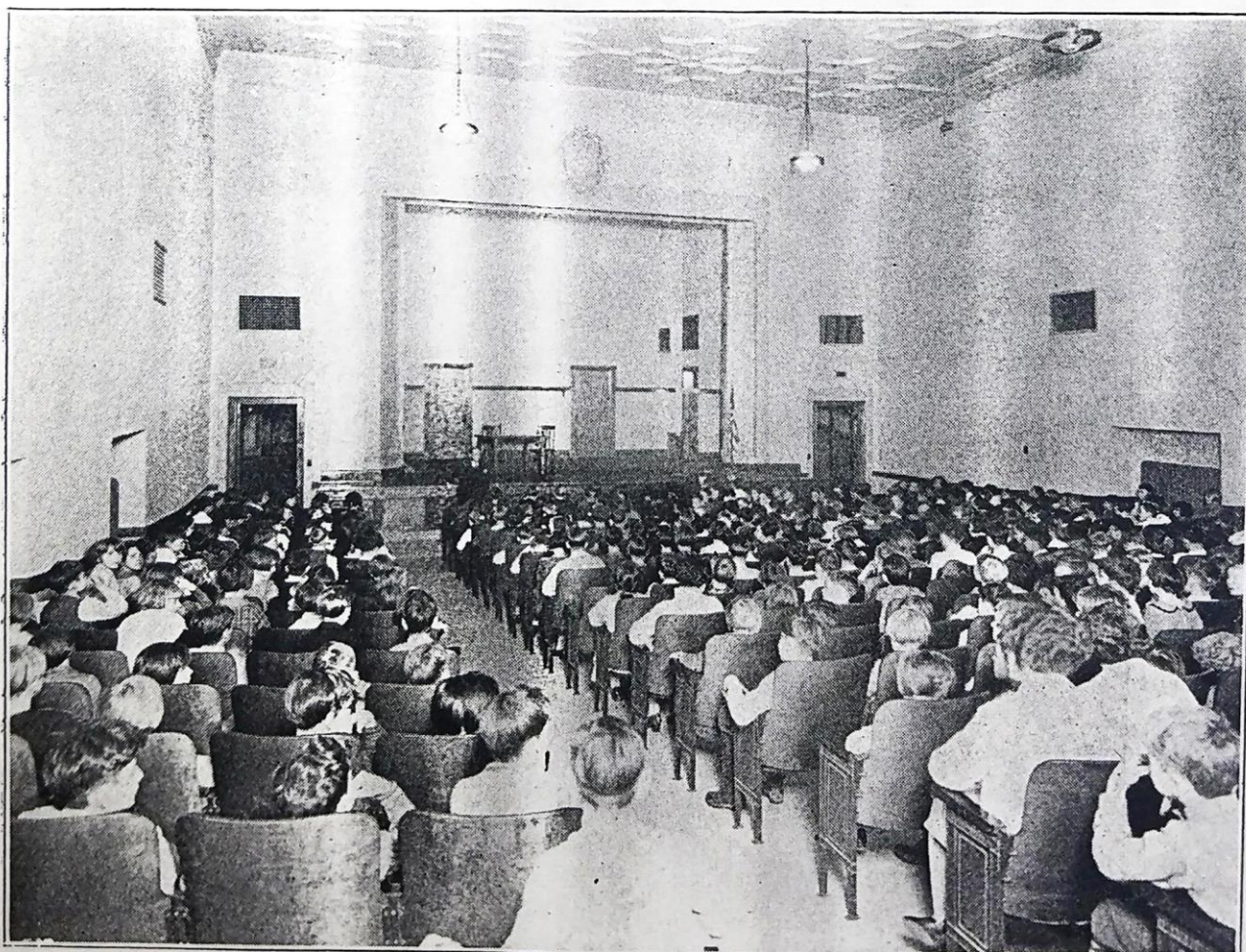
NEESKARA SCHOOL

*Fifty-fifth and
Galena Streets*

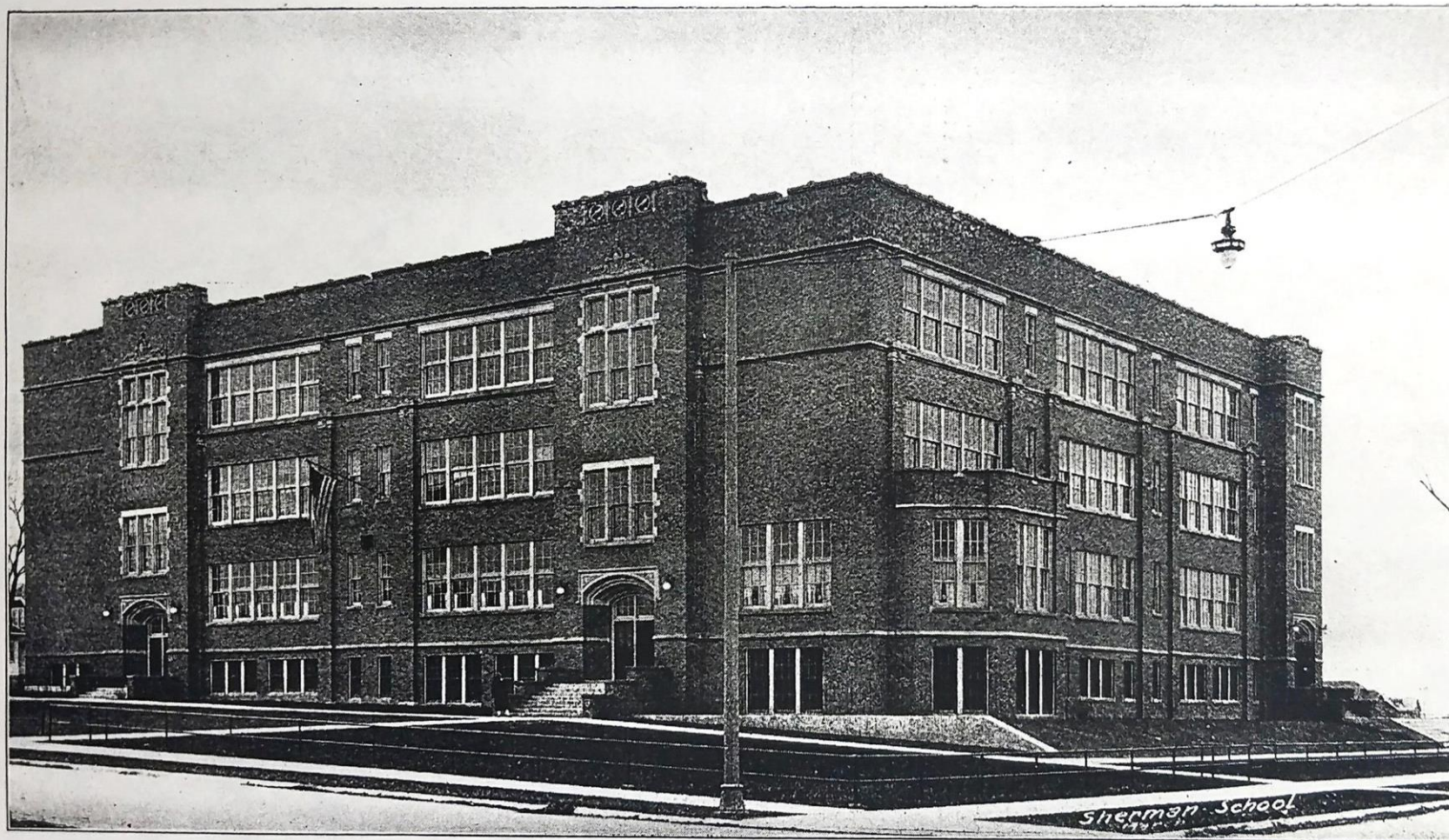
Established in 1924. Until the new building was finished in the spring of this year barracks were used to accommodate the school membership. There are twenty classrooms with an auditorium. The present enrollment is 509. The cost of the building with equipment and grounds was \$450,400.



FIRST GRADE ROOM, NEESKARA SCHOOL



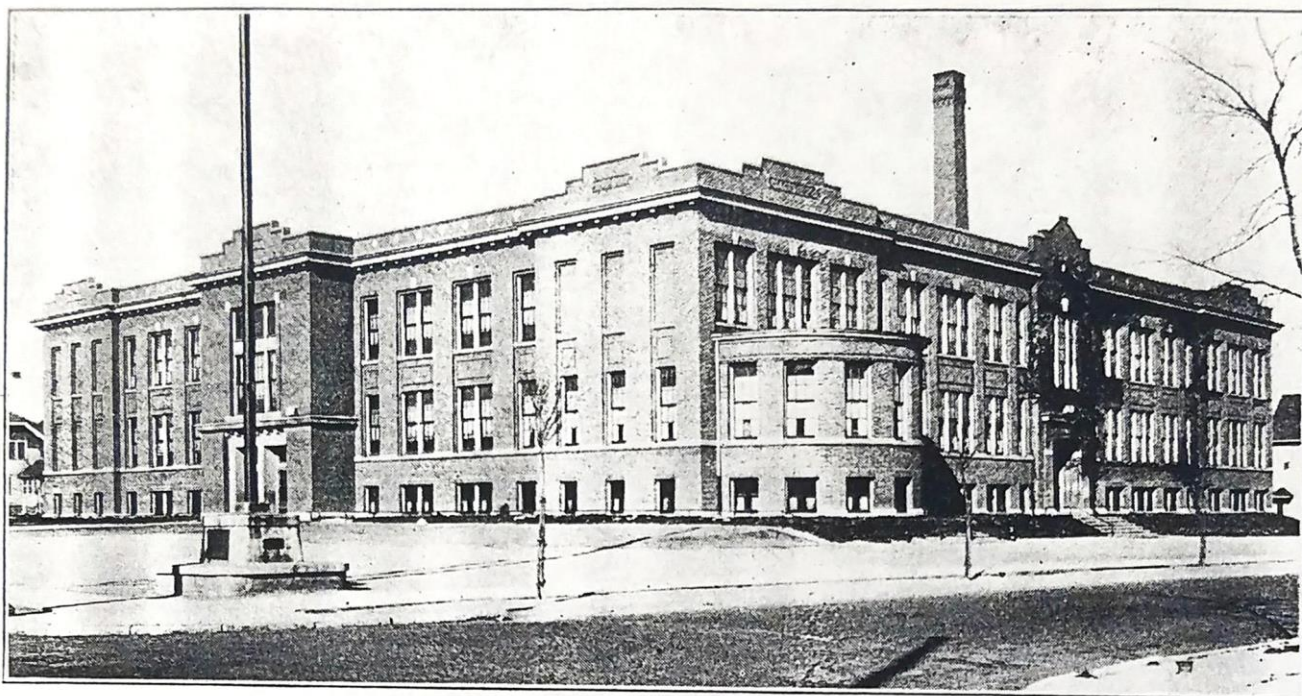
THE AUDITORIUM OF THE NEESKARA SCHOOL—Constructed according to the Board's new policy to restrict the size of elementary school auditoriums to one-half the capacity of the school.



WM. T. SHERMAN SCHOOL

*Fifty-first and Locust
Streets*

Established in February, 1924, under the name of Locust Street School with an enrollment of 187. There are twenty-three classrooms. The enrollment now is 1,016. The cost of the grounds and building was \$496,620.



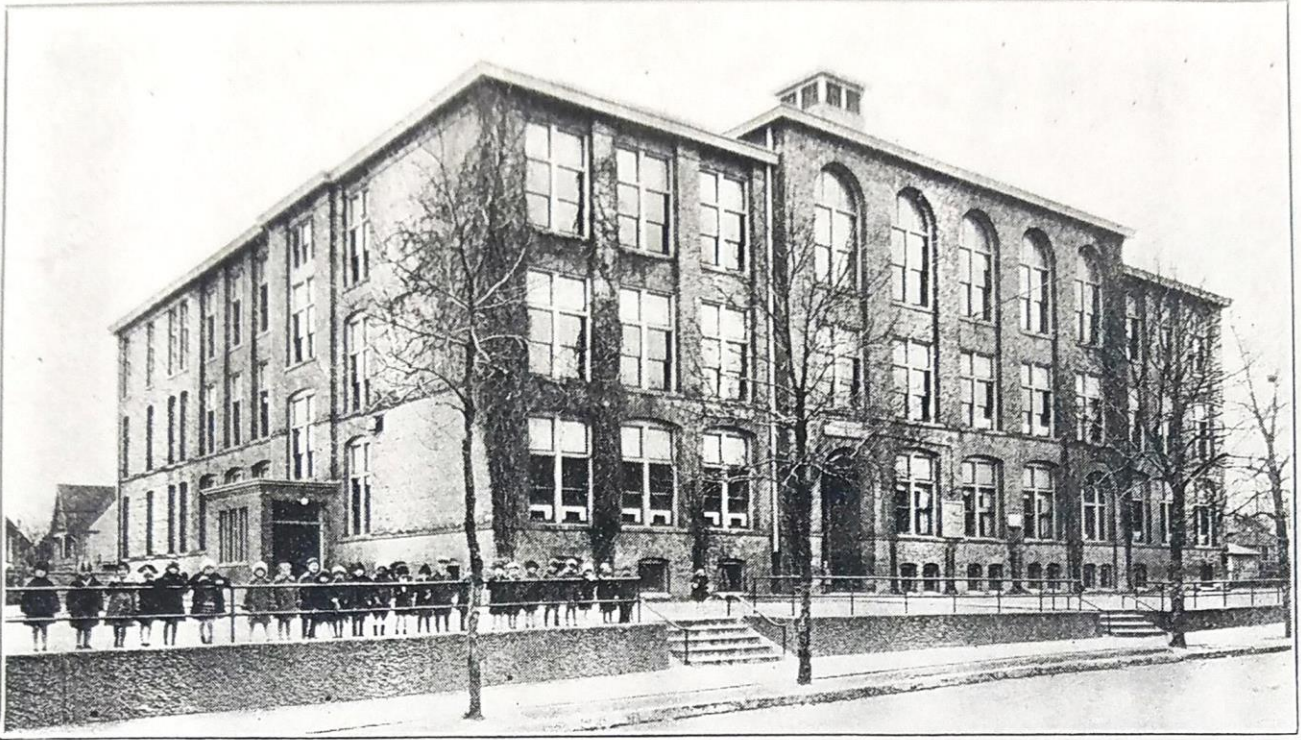
THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET SCHOOL

*Thirty-eighth and Clarke
Streets*

This school has had a rapid growth. The east wing was opened in 1912. Scarcely had the first section been fully occupied when the rapidly growing population made it necessary to add a west wing, bringing the building up to a total capacity of nineteen classrooms. Until the new Peckham Junior High School is opened, six barrack rooms and the auditorium are being used to meet room requirements. The cost of the building and grounds was \$152,500.



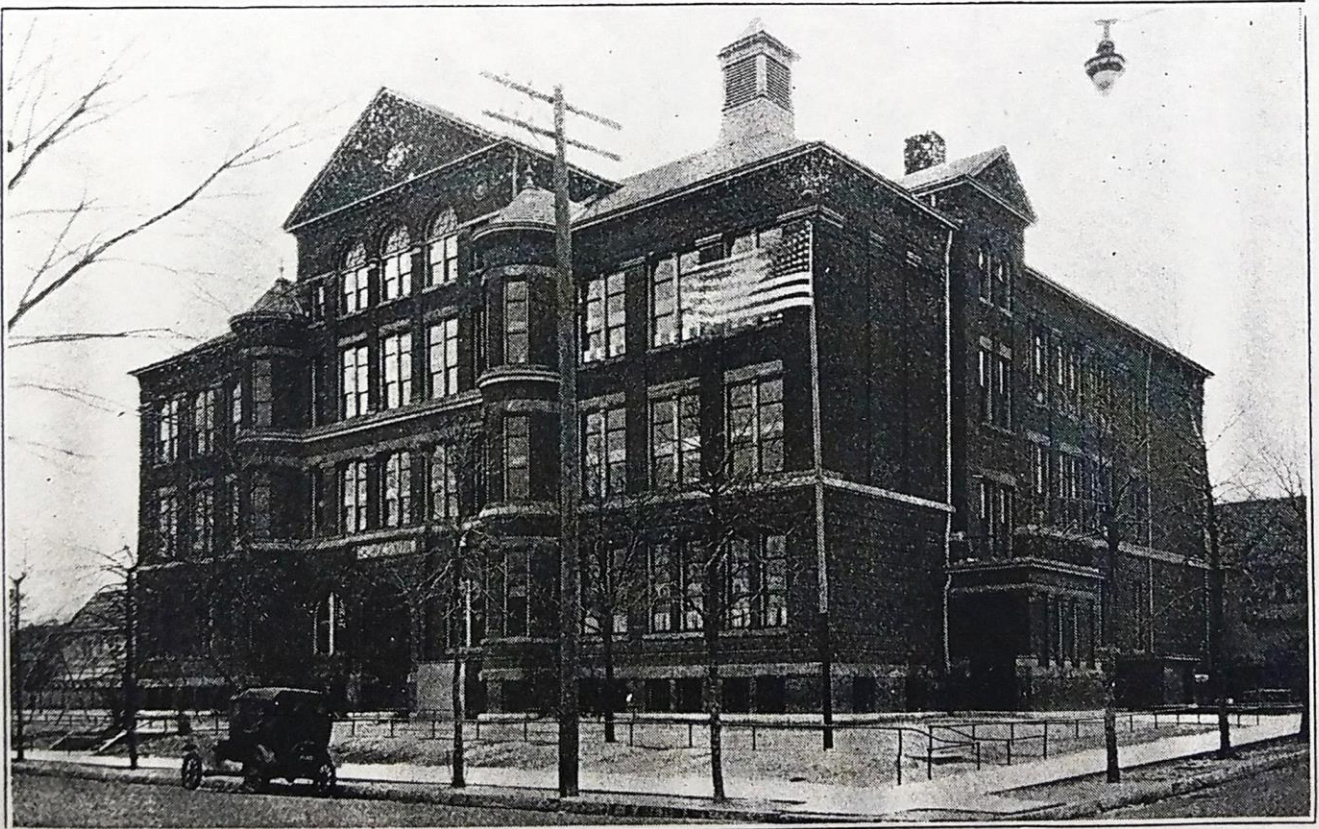
A GEOGRAPHY ROOM IN THE THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET SCHOOL



THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET SCHOOL

*Thirty-seventh and
Walnut Streets*

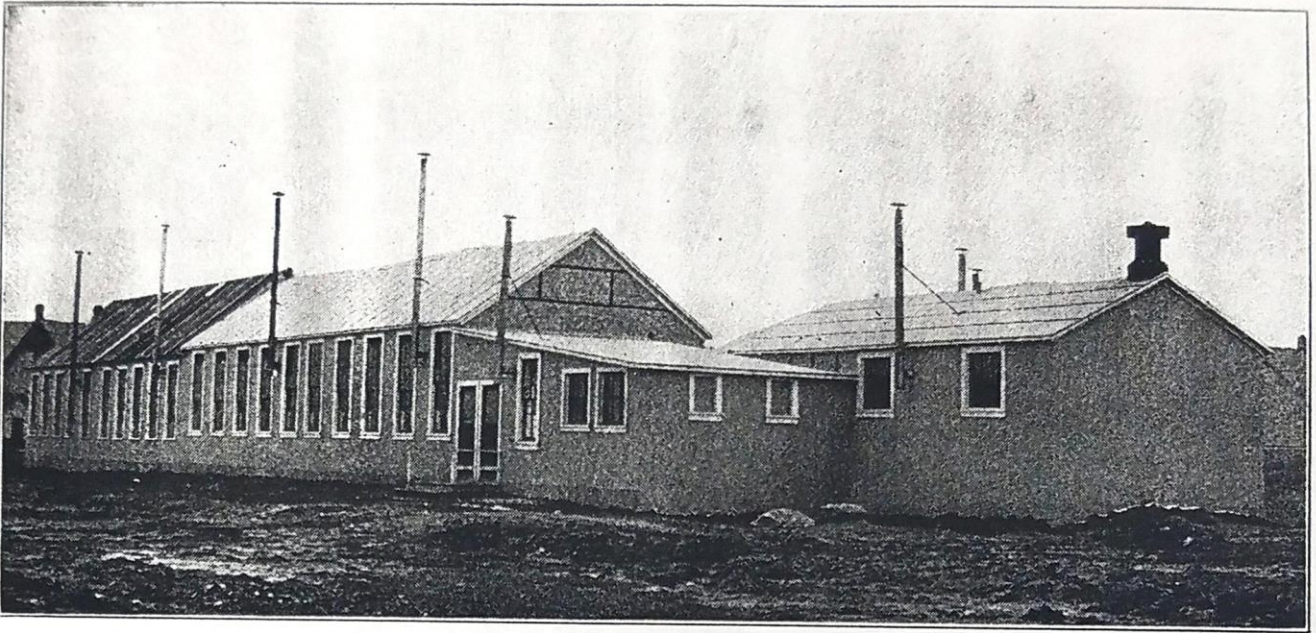
This school was established in 1901. The original fourteen-room building was enlarged by a six-room addition in 1911 so that the building now has twenty classrooms. The cost of the grounds was \$20,730; the cost of the building was \$79,500. The present enrollment is 989.



THIRTY-FIRST STREET SCHOOL

*Thirty-first and Brown
Streets*

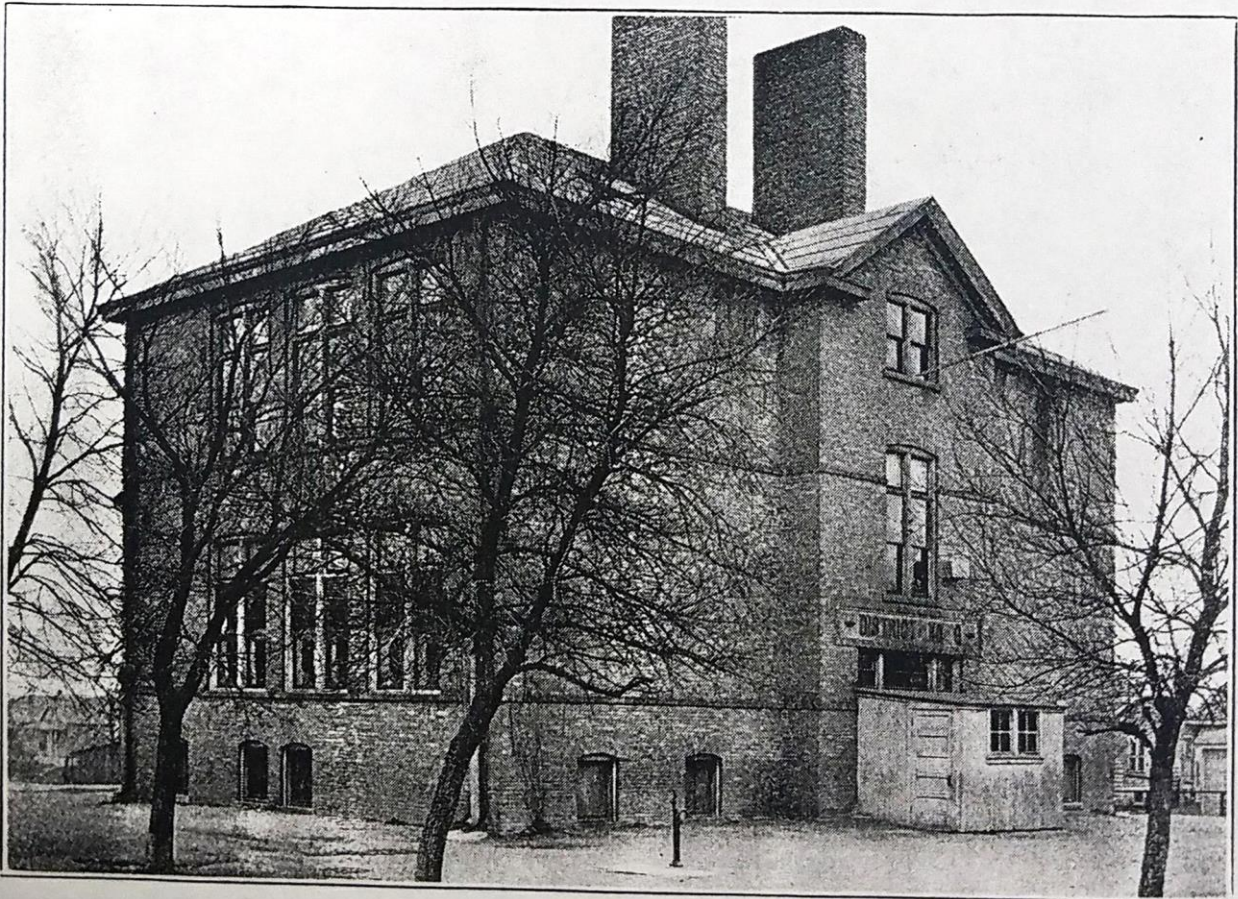
Opened in 1895. The cost of the building and grounds was \$109,460. The building has twenty classrooms and a small assembly hall. The playground facilities are limited. The present enrollment is 906.



TOWNSEND STREET SCHOOL

*Forty-second and Townsend
Streets*

Organized in September, 1926, as a four-room barrack school. Plans are already under way for a permanent building on this site similar to the present Neeskara School.



WRIGHT STREET SCHOOL

*Fifty-sixth and Wright
Streets*

This four-room building, known as the Lincoln School, was received by annexation in 1925, becoming the Wright Street School. It is located in one of the most rapidly growing sections of the city. The revised building program calls for a new school of one thousand pupil capacity.

The West Division High School District

CONTRIBUTING SCHOOLS

BROWN STREET
CLYBOURN STREET
EIGHTEENTH STREET
EIGHTH STREET
FOURTEENTH STREET
HAWLEY AVENUE

JOHNSON'S WOODS
WILLIAM McKINLEY
STATE STREET
STORY
TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET
WALNUT STREET

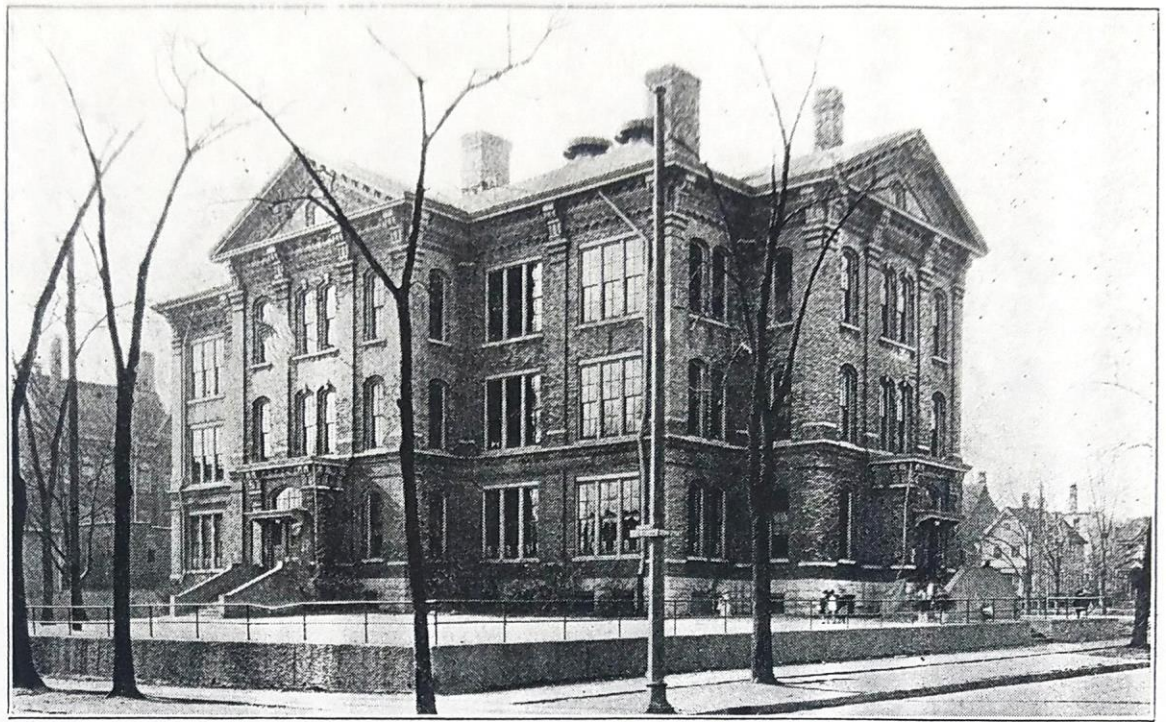
WISCONSIN AVENUE



WEST DIVISION HIGH SCHOOL

*Highland Avenue and
Twenty-third Street*

The present structure with an enrollment of more than 1600 is considerably overcrowded. The \$250,000 addition under construction will provide additional gymnasium, locker and toilet facilities as well as an enlarged cafeteria, and assembly hall stage. The cost of the original building together with previous additions and grounds was \$338,600. Land is being acquired in the block immediately west to provide for an athletic field.



EIGHTEENTH STREET SCHOOL

*Eighteenth and Cedar
Streets*

The records of this school date back to 1876. The building has twenty classrooms, and a small assembly hall on the third floor which has been pressed into service for classroom purposes. Five barracks are

being used at this school. The cost of the building and grounds was \$47,680. The present enrollment is 1,006.

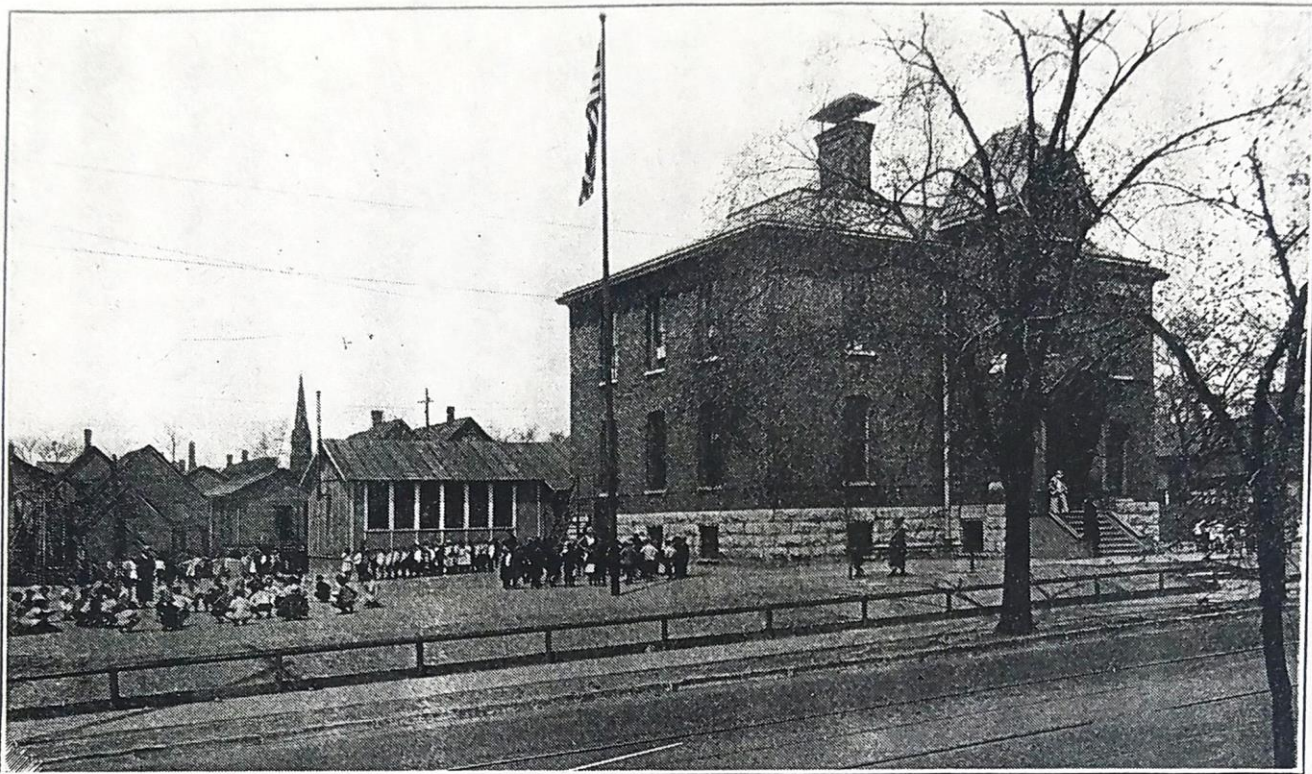


EIGHTH STREET SCHOOL

*Eighth and Michigan
Streets*

The present building was built in 1890. In the early days it was called the Plankinton School. The building has fifteen classrooms and an assembly hall which is partly used for classroom purposes. The cost of the grounds and the building

was nearly \$87,500. The present enrollment is 727.

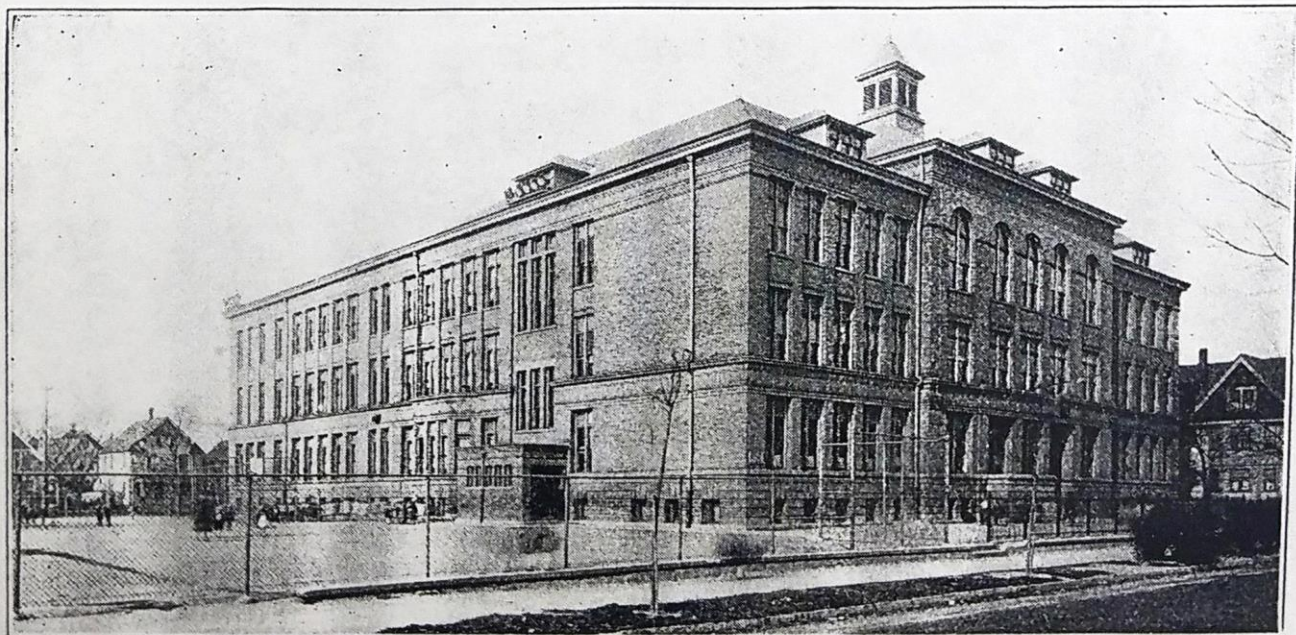


CLYBOURN STREET SCHOOL

*Twenty-seventh and Clybourn
Streets*

addition one barrack room is in use.
The present enrollment is 233.

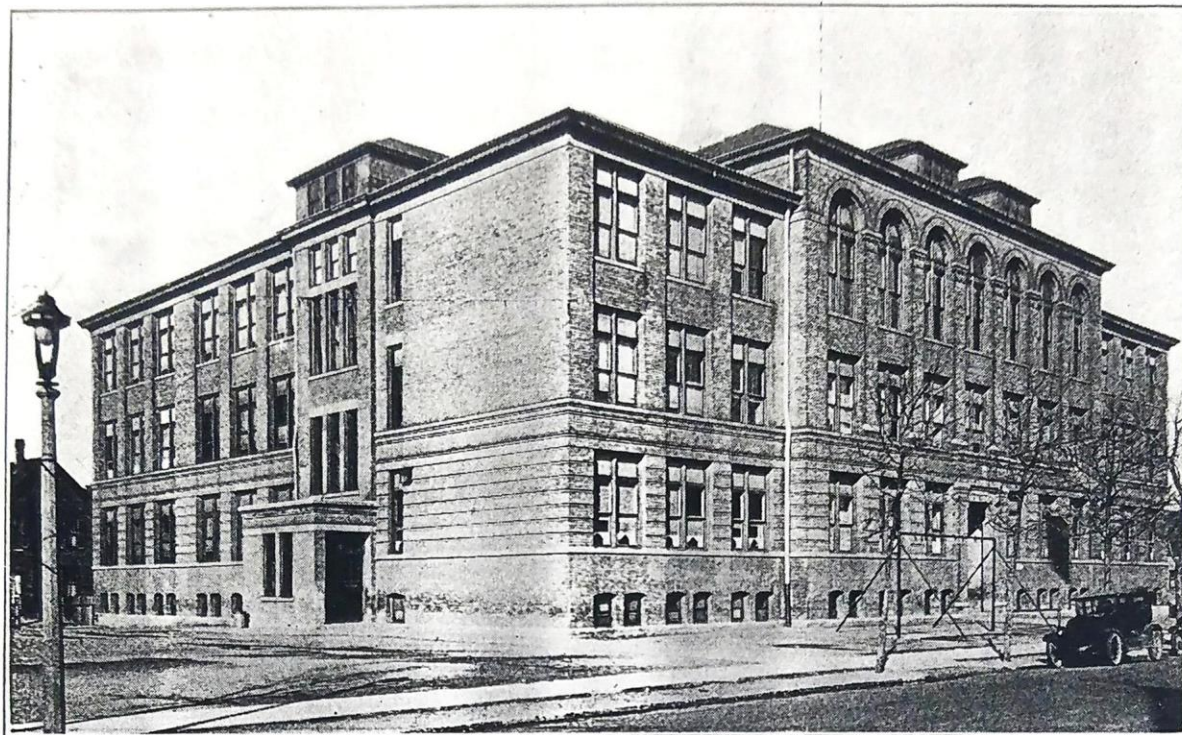
Opened in 1892 as the Sixteenth District Primary School, this building later became an annex to what is now the Wisconsin Avenue School. In 1917 it again became a separate school. The building has four classrooms. In The cost of the grounds and building was nearly \$12,000.



BROWN STREET SCHOOL

*Twentieth and Brown
Streets*

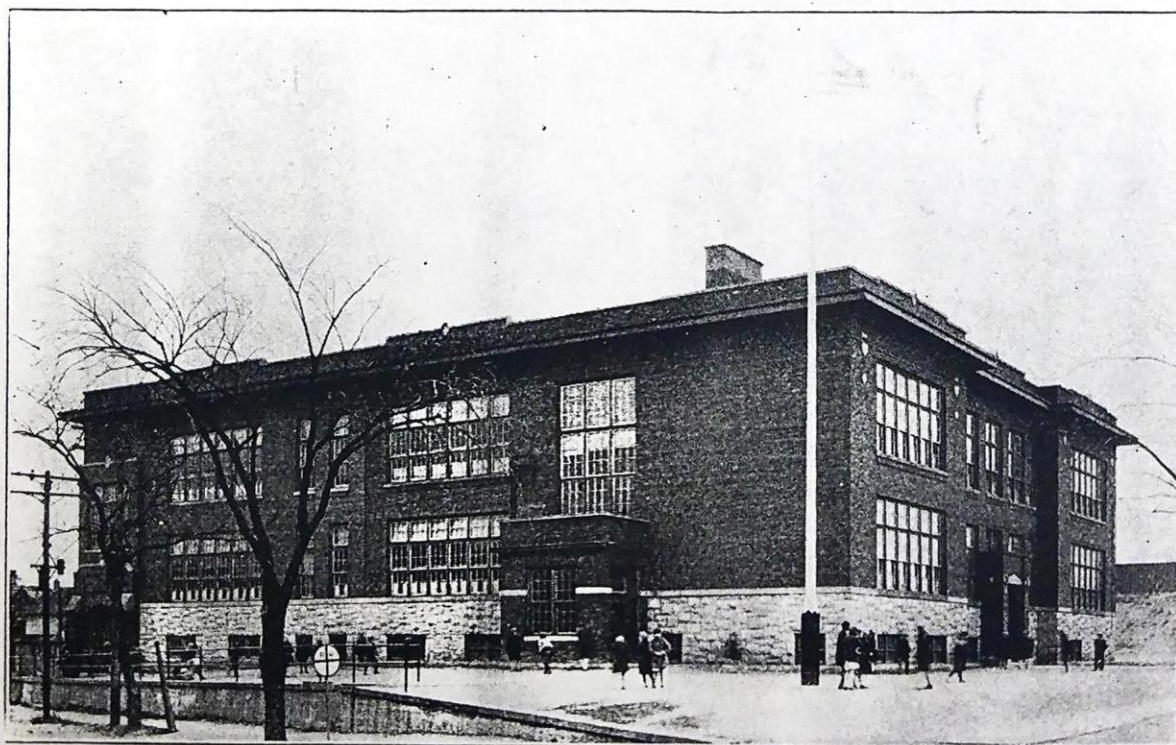
The building has nineteen classrooms and a small assembly hall. The present enrollment is 890. The cost of the building and grounds was \$96,800.



FOURTEENTH STREET SCHOOL

*Fourteenth and Galena
Streets*

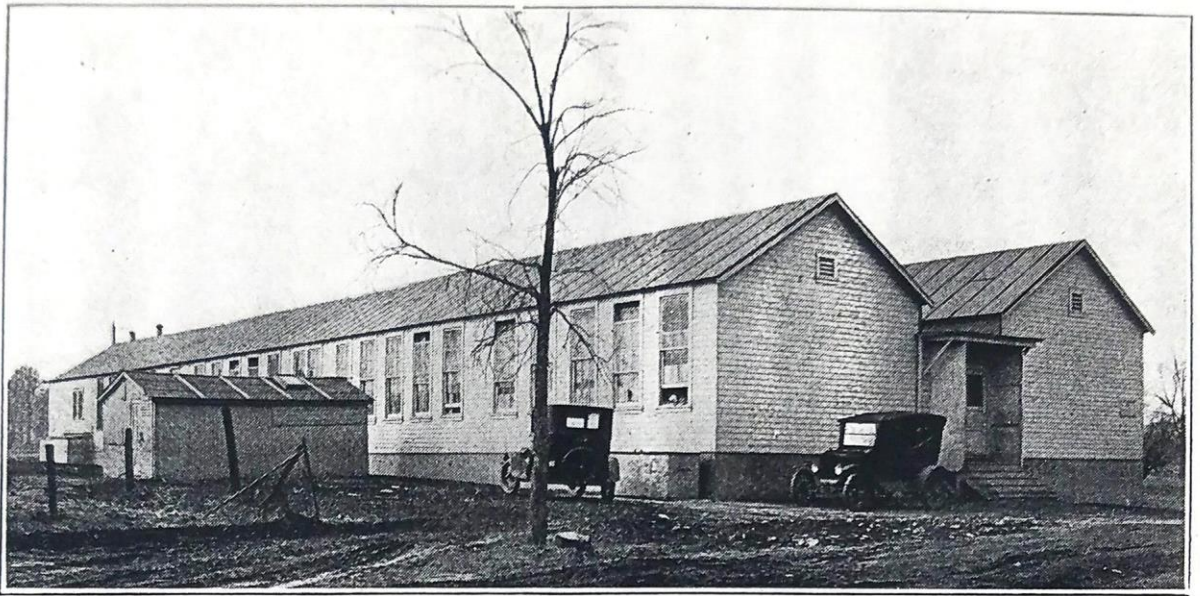
Beginning as the Quentin School in 1863, in the course of time its name was changed to that which it now bears. The building has twenty classrooms besides accommodations for social center activities. There is a good sized assembly hall on the third floor. The cost of the grounds and building was approximately \$100,700. The enrollment is 835.



HAWLEY AVENUE SCHOOL

*Hawley Avenue, near
Wisconsin Avenue*

This school came into the city in 1925, together with the Story School and the State Street School, by annexation of School District No. 8, Town of Wauwatosa. The building is a fifteen-classroom structure, with an assembly room on the first floor. The enrollment is 625.



JOHNSON'S WOODS SCHOOL

*Adler and Sixtieth
Streets*

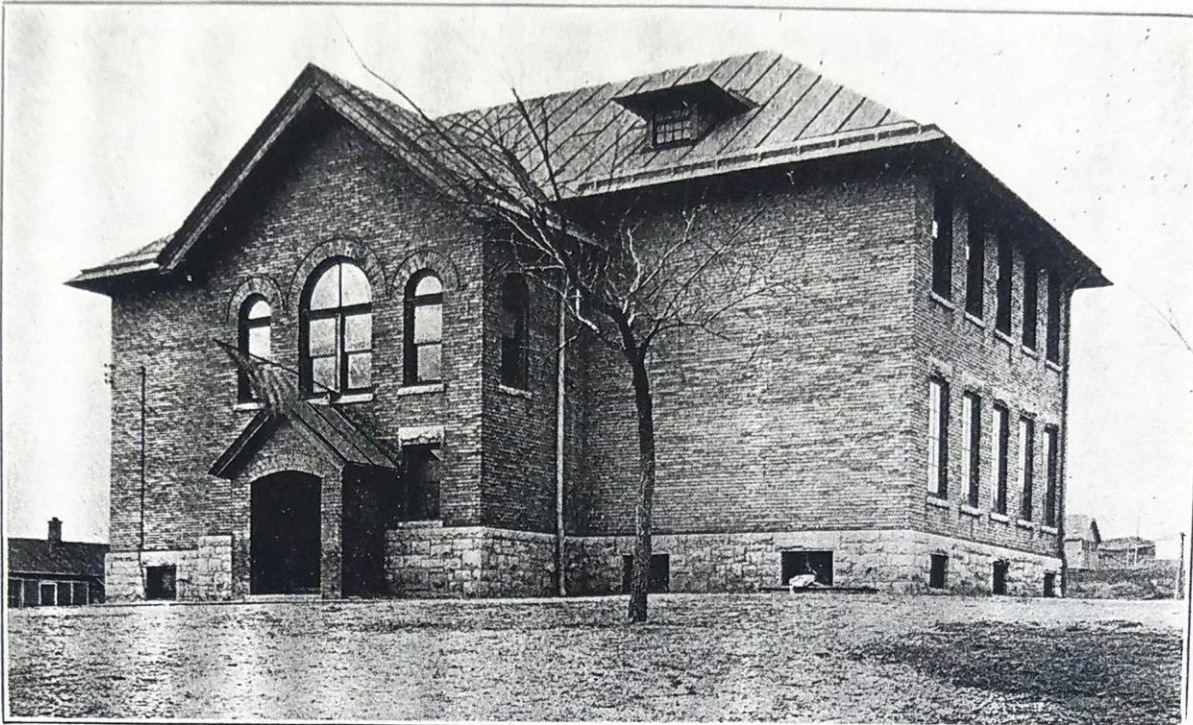
This eight-room barrack school recently acquired by annexation is situated in the tract between West Allis and Wauwatosa. It occupies a six acre site purchased by the former school board of that district. Our Board contemplates the erection of a permanent structure on this site within the next five year period. The estimated cost is \$350,000.



WILLIAM McKINLEY SCHOOL

*(Formerly Cold Spring Avenue)
McKinley Avenue and
Twentieth Street*

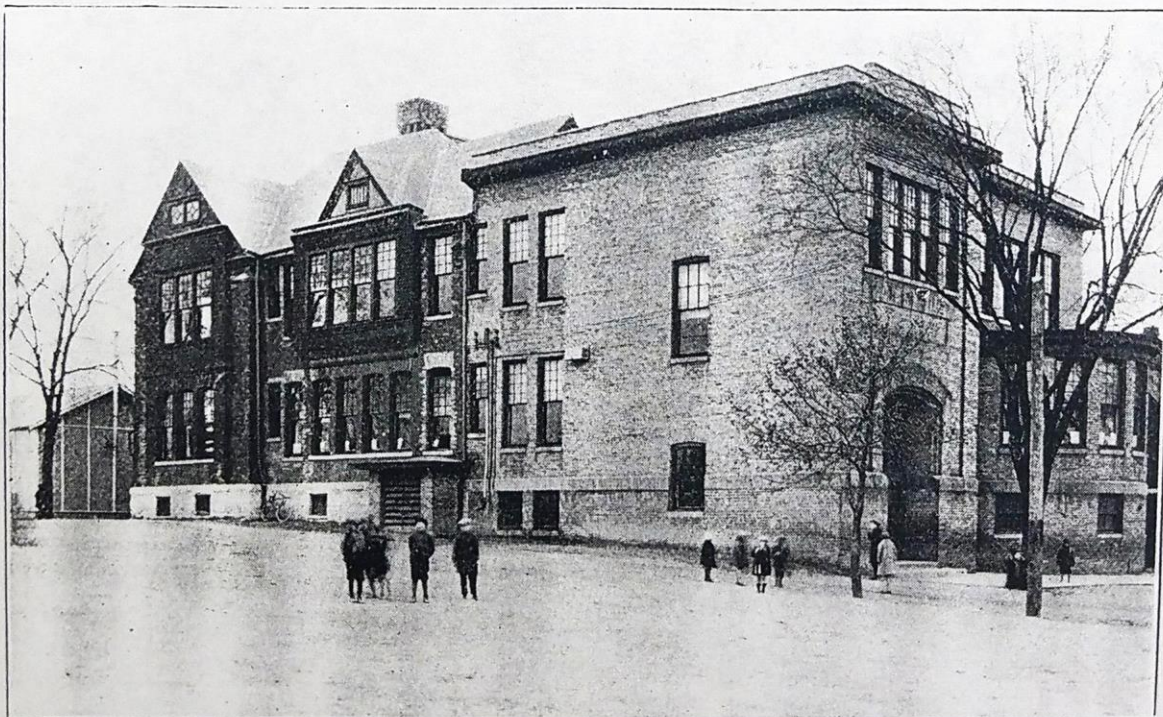
This school was established in 1884. Before adopting its present name it was known as the Cold Spring Avenue School. The building has twenty-three classrooms, and an assembly hall on the second floor. The enrollment is 1,083. The cost of the grounds was \$16,250; the cost of the building was \$106,860.



STATE STREET SCHOOL

*State Street, near
Forty-sixth Street*

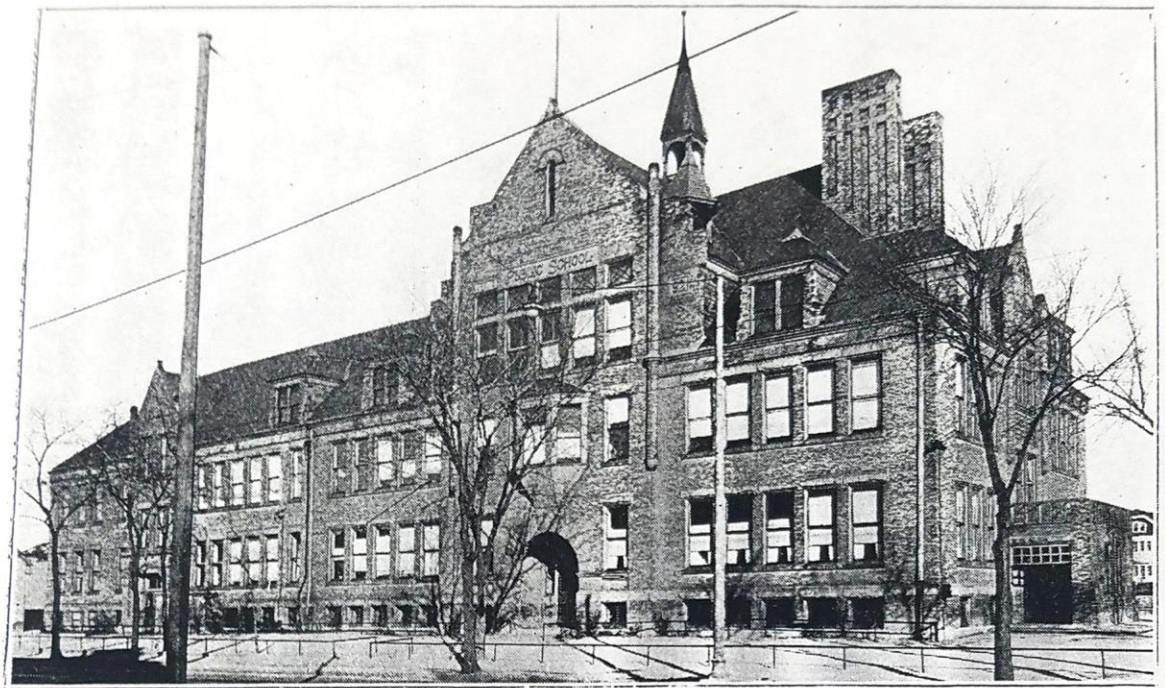
The building is a small four-room structure acquired through annexation. Until the end of this school year it was supervised by the principal of the Story School. The present enrollment is 108. The district is growing and provision will need to be made for the future. The Board has recently purchased two adjoining lots immediately north which have been added to the playgrounds.



STORY SCHOOL

*(Formerly Thirty-sixth Street)
Thirty-seventh Street,
north of Wells Street*

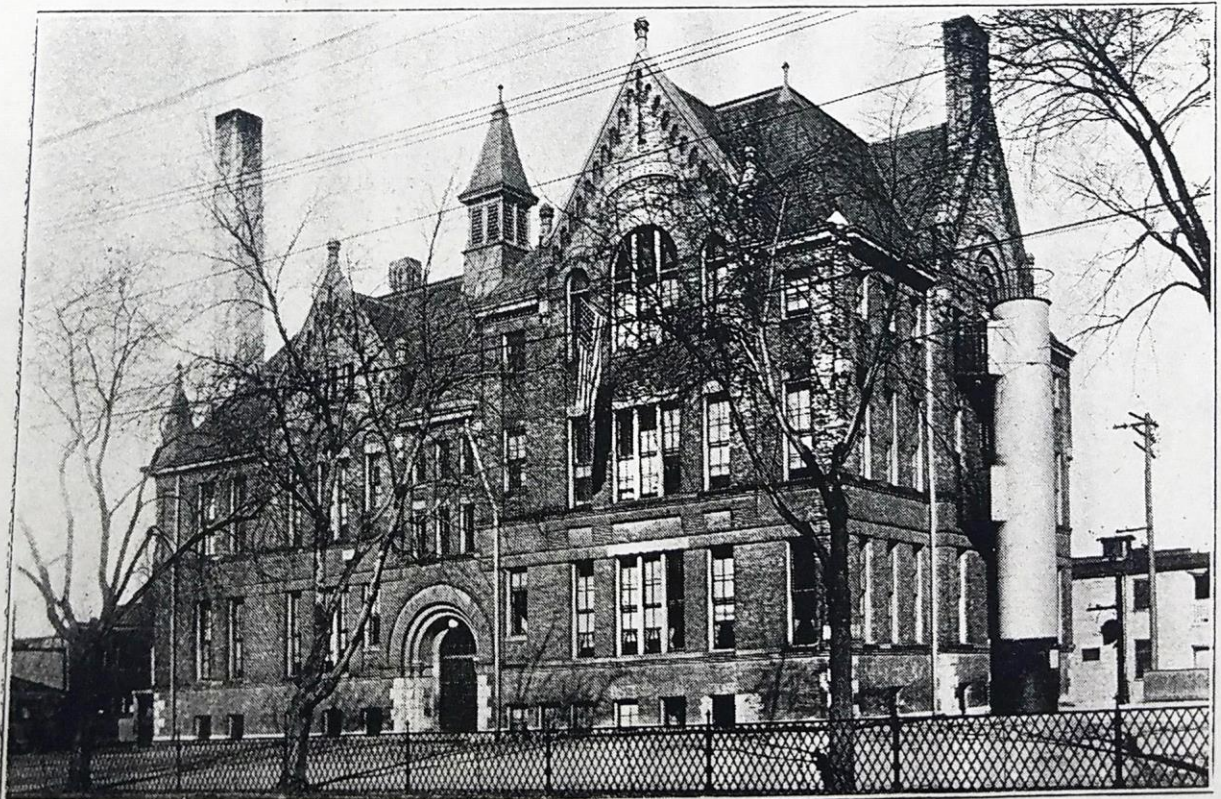
This school came into the city by annexation in 1925. The ten-room capacity of the building is now supplemented by four barrack rooms. The school was given its present name in honor of the Story family of which three generations served on the Township Board, controlling the destiny of this school since 1848. The present enrollment is 481.



TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET SCHOOL

*Twenty-seventh Street and
McKinley Boulevard*

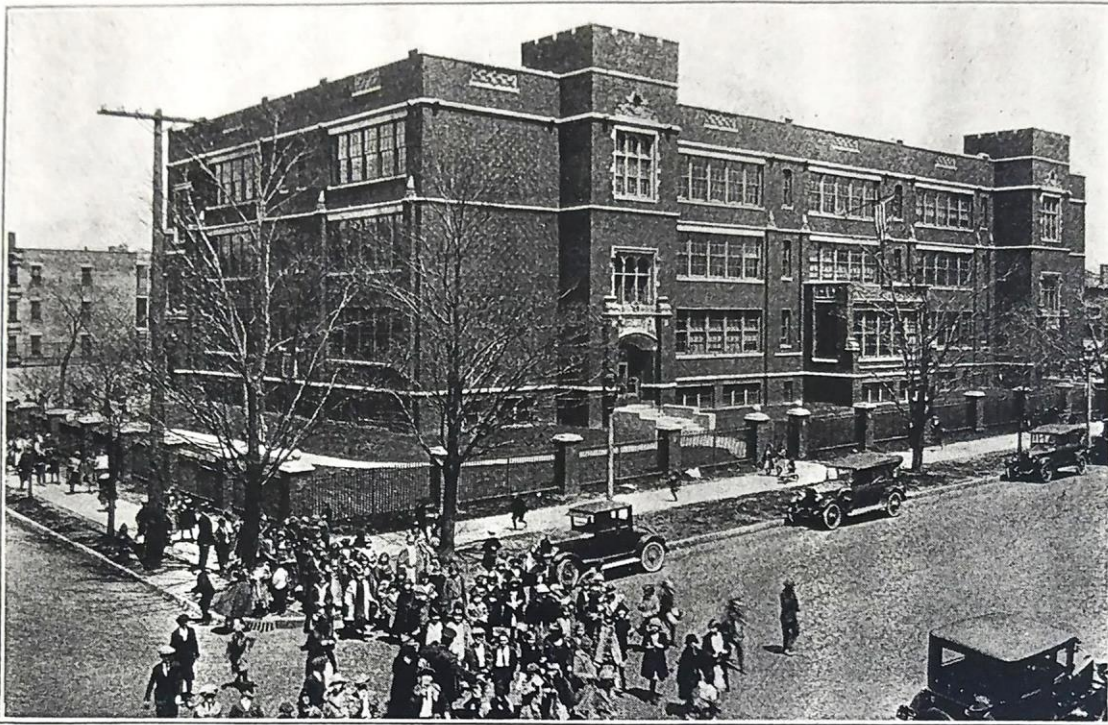
This school was established in 1893 as the Fifteenth District Primary School. There are eighteen classrooms and a small auditorium. Two barrack rooms are in use. The enrollment is 791. The cost of the grounds and building was \$189,730.



WALNUT STREET SCHOOL

*Twenty-third and Walnut
Streets*

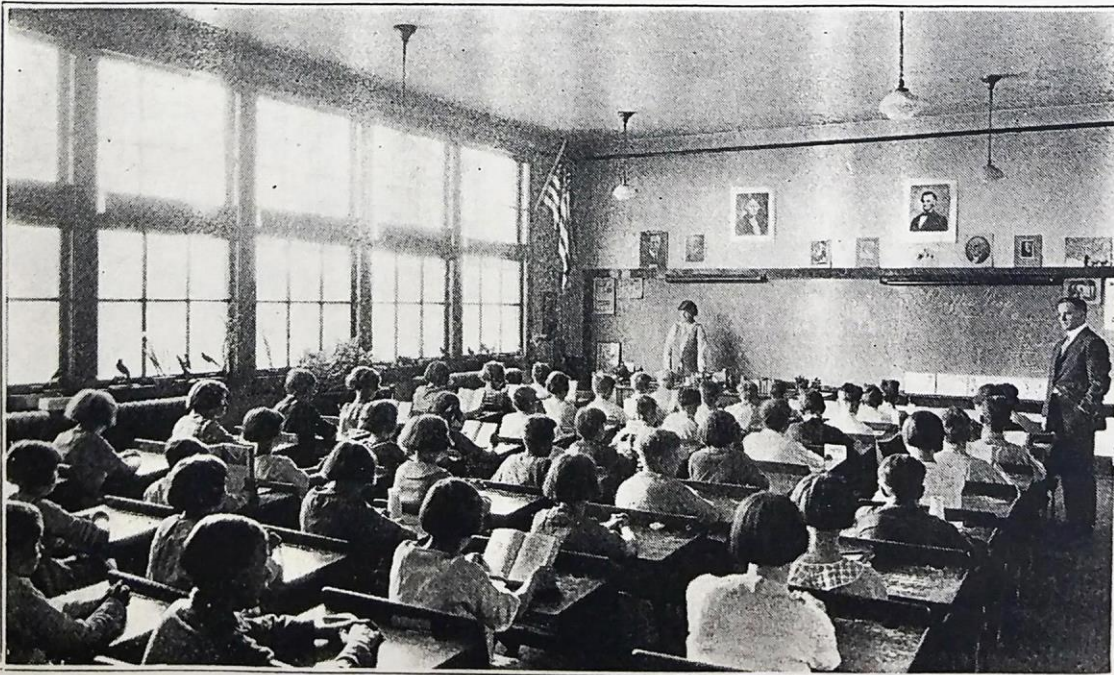
This school was established in 1887 as the Ninth District Primary School No. 1. The building has ten classrooms, and a third floor assembly hall used as a classroom. The cost of the grounds and building was \$38,880. The present enrollment is 494.



WISCONSIN AVENUE SCHOOL

*Wisconsin Avenue and
Twenty-eighth Street*

The first record of this school is found in the annual report of 1859. It is there mentioned as the Palmer School. For many years it was known as the Grand Avenue School. Just recently the name was changed to Wisconsin Avenue. In the spring of 1919 the old building was partly destroyed by fire. An entirely new building was erected in its place and occupied in September 1921. The building has twenty classrooms, two gymnasiums, and an auditorium. The cost of the building and grounds was \$519,000. The enrollment is 936.



A TYPICAL CLASSROOM IN THE WISCONSIN AVENUE SCHOOL

The Technical High and Trade Schools

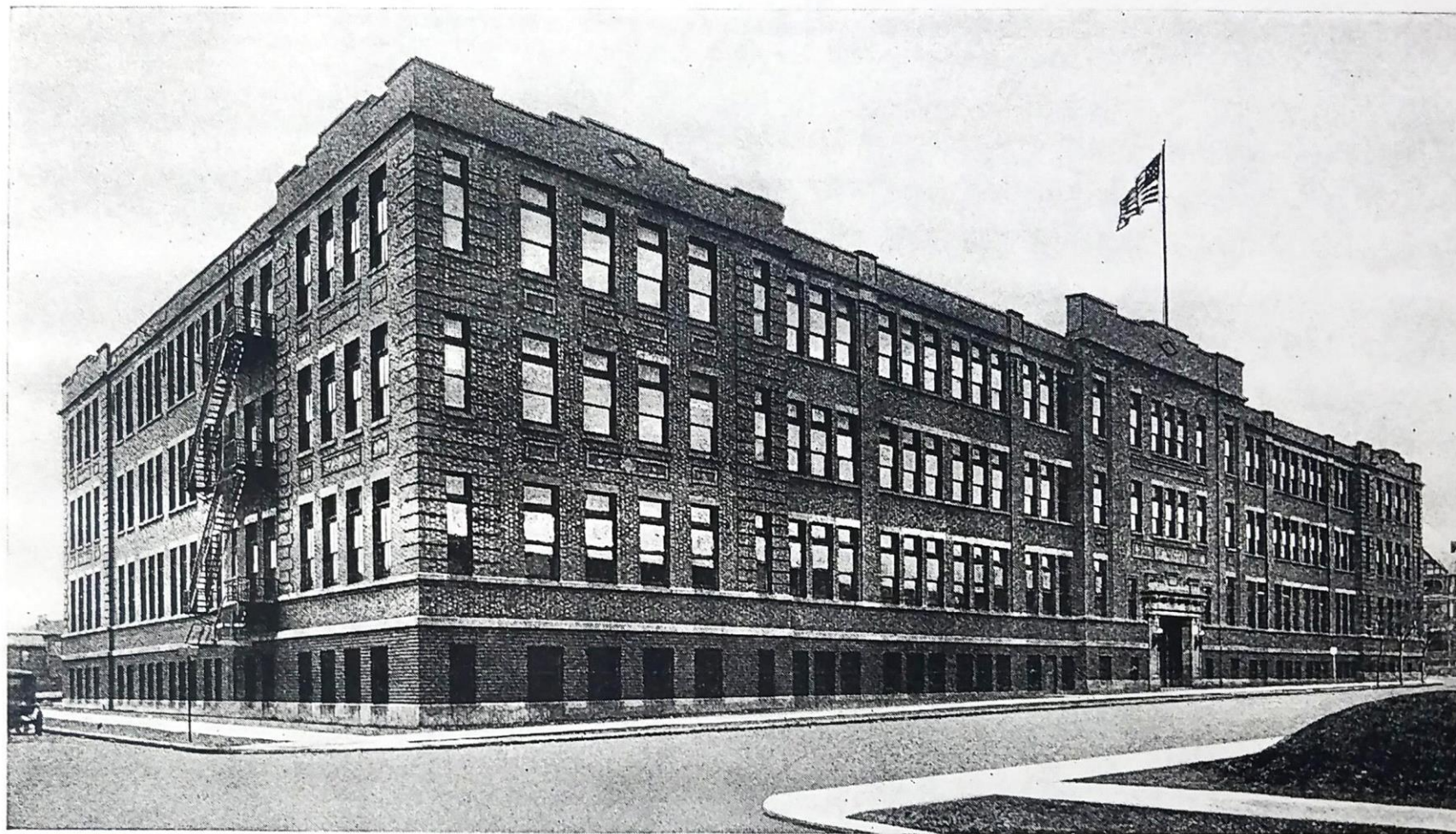
The Boys' Technical High School
Virginia and Hanover Streets

The Girls' Trade and Technical High School
Eighteenth and Wells Streets



These Schools Serve the Entire City

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BOYS' TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

*Virginia and Hanover
Streets*

This school was originally known as the Trade School for Boys. In 1918 it was changed to a Boys' Technical High School with Junior High, Technical High and Trade Departments. The building has 31 recitation rooms and 12 shops. The building with an enrollment of 1300 is overcrowded and greatly in need of an addition which will provide more classrooms, a cafeteria, an auditorium, a library and study hall facilities. The Board's Five Year Building Program calls for an expenditure of \$300,000 for this purpose from the Trade School Fund. The present building and grounds represent an investment of \$286,500.



THE NEW PRINTING SHOP IN THE BOYS' TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL



THE CABINET SHOP OF THE BOYS' TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL



GIRLS' TRADE AND TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

*Eighteenth and Wells
Streets*

of crowded conditions it has been necessary to maintain a pupil waiting list for several years. A \$300,000 addition is contemplated in the Board's Five Year Building Program.

Established in 1909 as a Girls' Trade School. An addition was built in 1917. In 1924 a technical high school course was added. The building has 43 recitation and laboratory rooms. The cost of the present structure and grounds was \$192,450. The present enrollment is 928. Because

Our New Junior High Schools and Prevocational Schools



JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

Peckham Junior High School
Thirty-eighth and Concordia

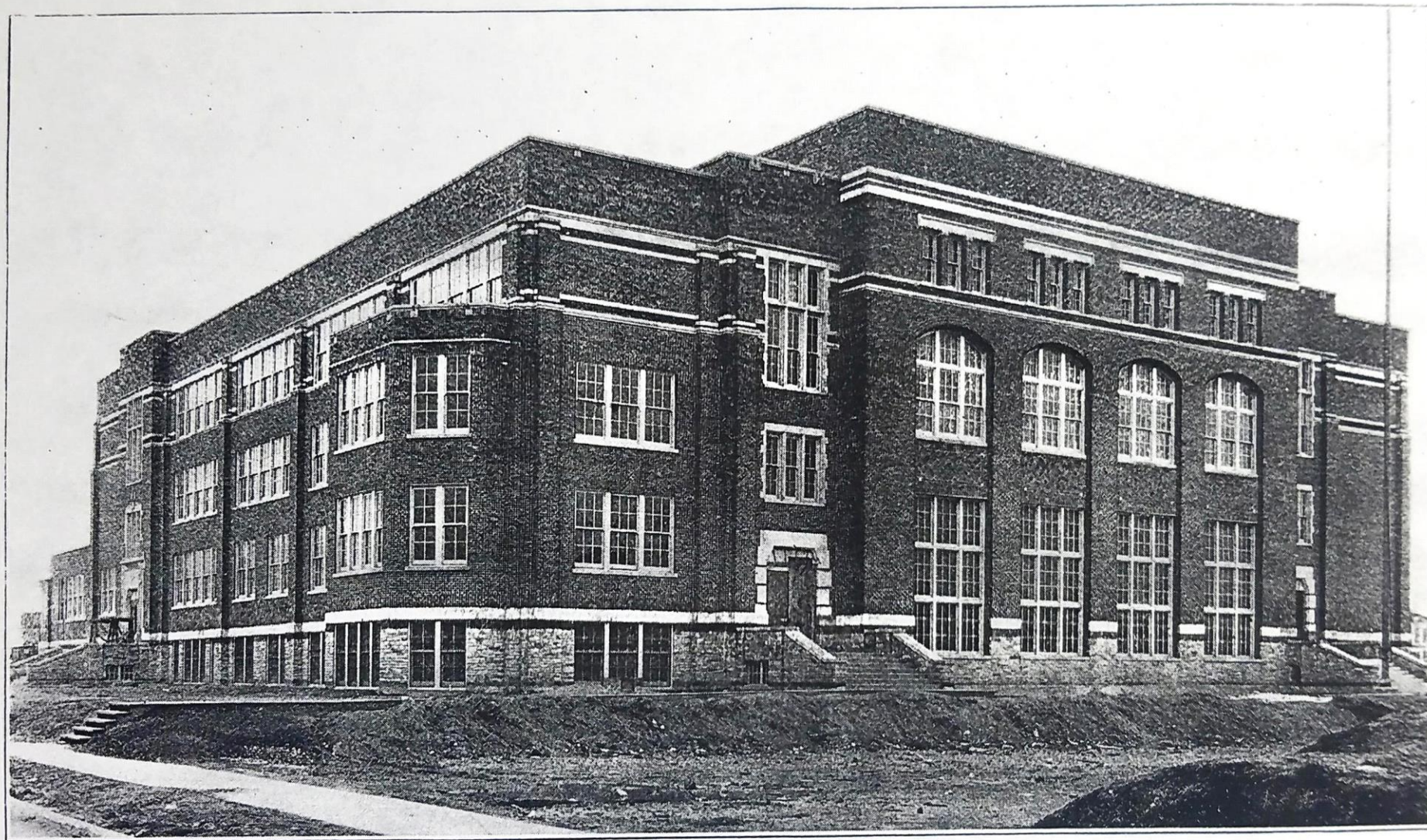
Roosevelt Junior High School
Ninth and Walnut Streets

PREVOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

Girls' Prevocational School
Thirteenth and Hayes Avenues

Kilbourn Prevocational School
Weil Street and Meinecke Avenue

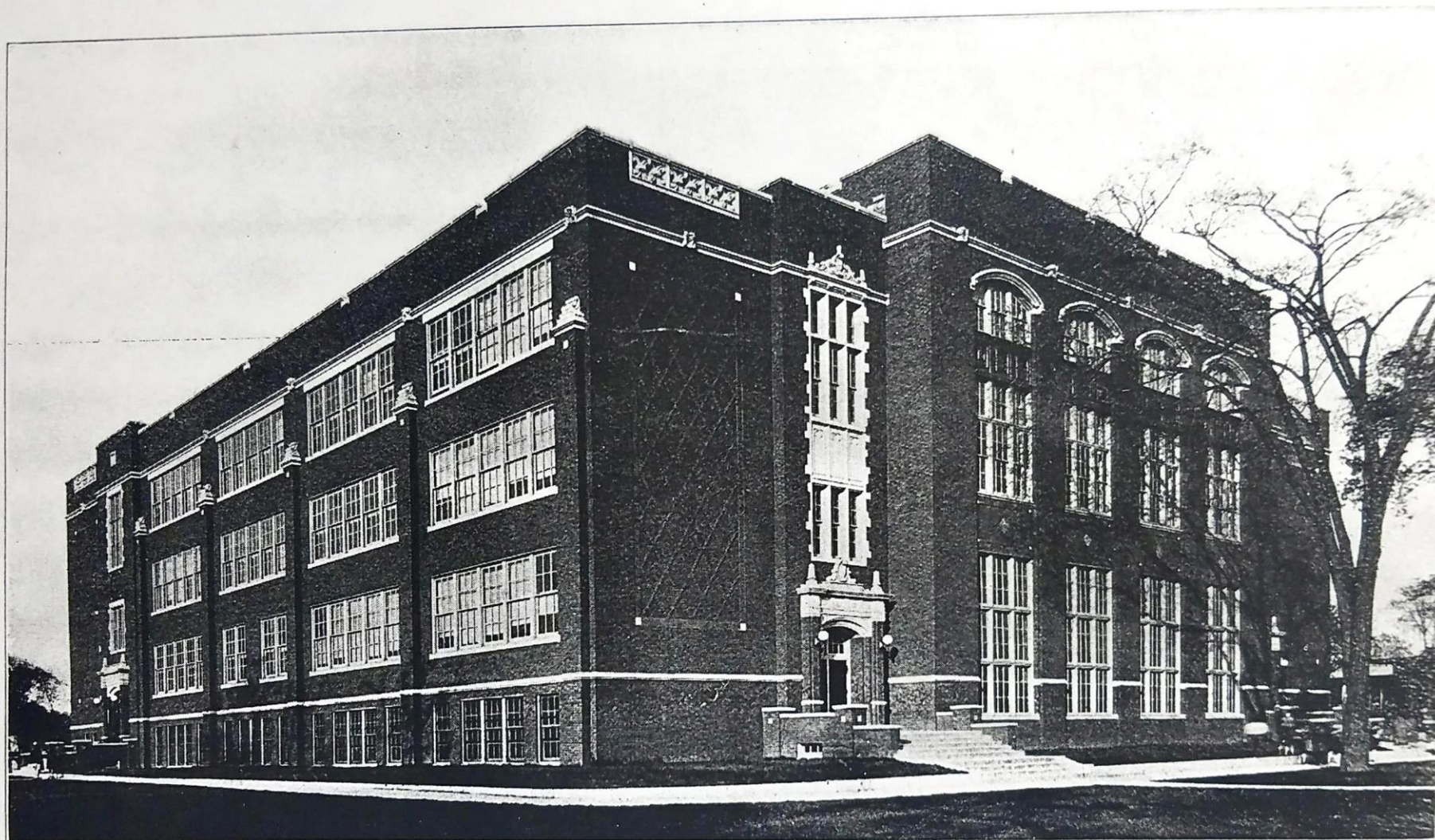
Kosciusko Prevocational School
Fifth and Windlake Avenues



PECKHAM JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

*Thirty-eighth Street and
Concordia Avenue*

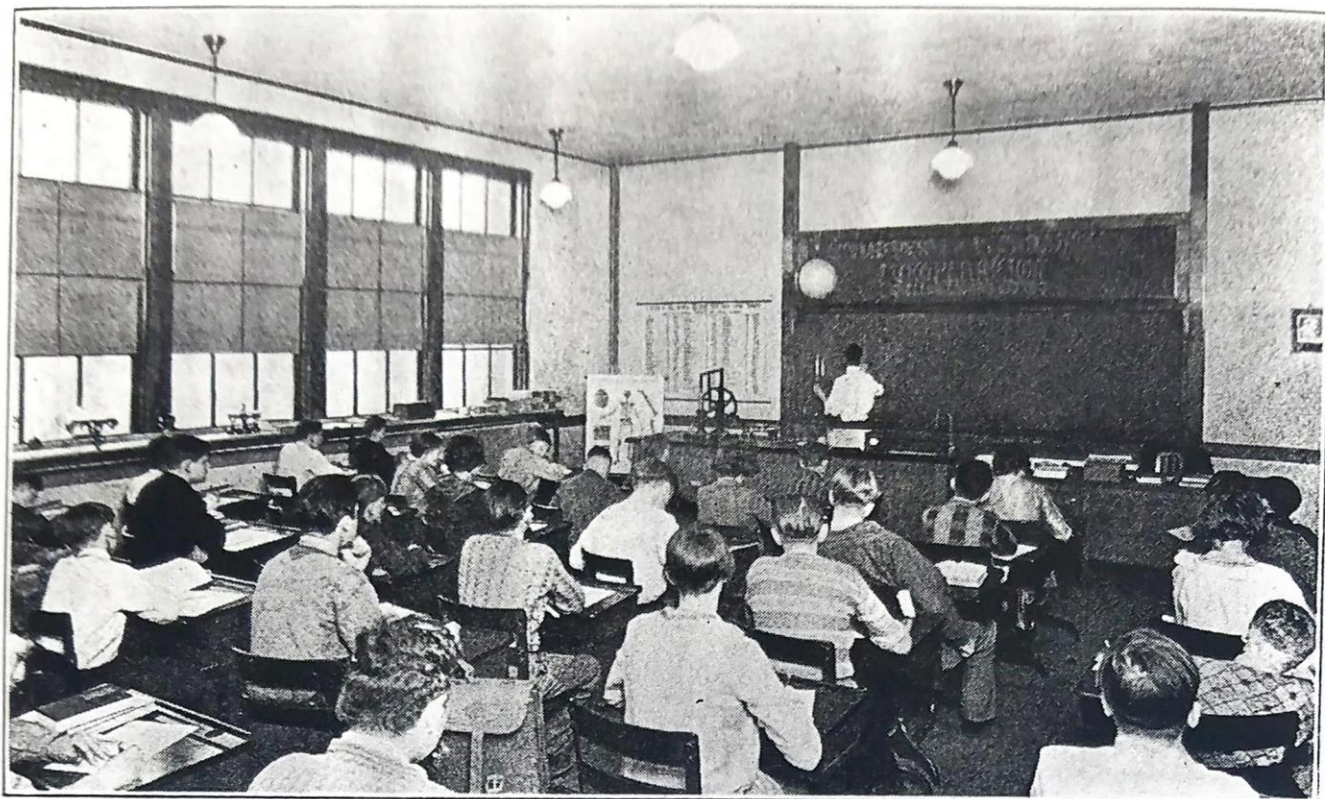
This structure which is nearing completion is essentially a duplicate of the Roosevelt Junior High School. It is expected that a part of the building will be ready for occupancy in September 1927. During the school year 1926-27 the pupils were housed in barracks. The cost of the grounds was \$11,500; the cost of the building when completed is estimated at \$630,000.



ROOSEVELT JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

*Eighth and Walnut
Streets*

Opened in September, 1926. It is the first junior high school building in this city, and is built on the historical Lapham Park Site. It has 36 classrooms and shops, a library, an auditorium, cafeteria, and two gymnasiums, and accommodations found in the most modern type of building. The cost of the grounds was \$56,400. The cost of the building was \$690,000. It will care for 1300 children.



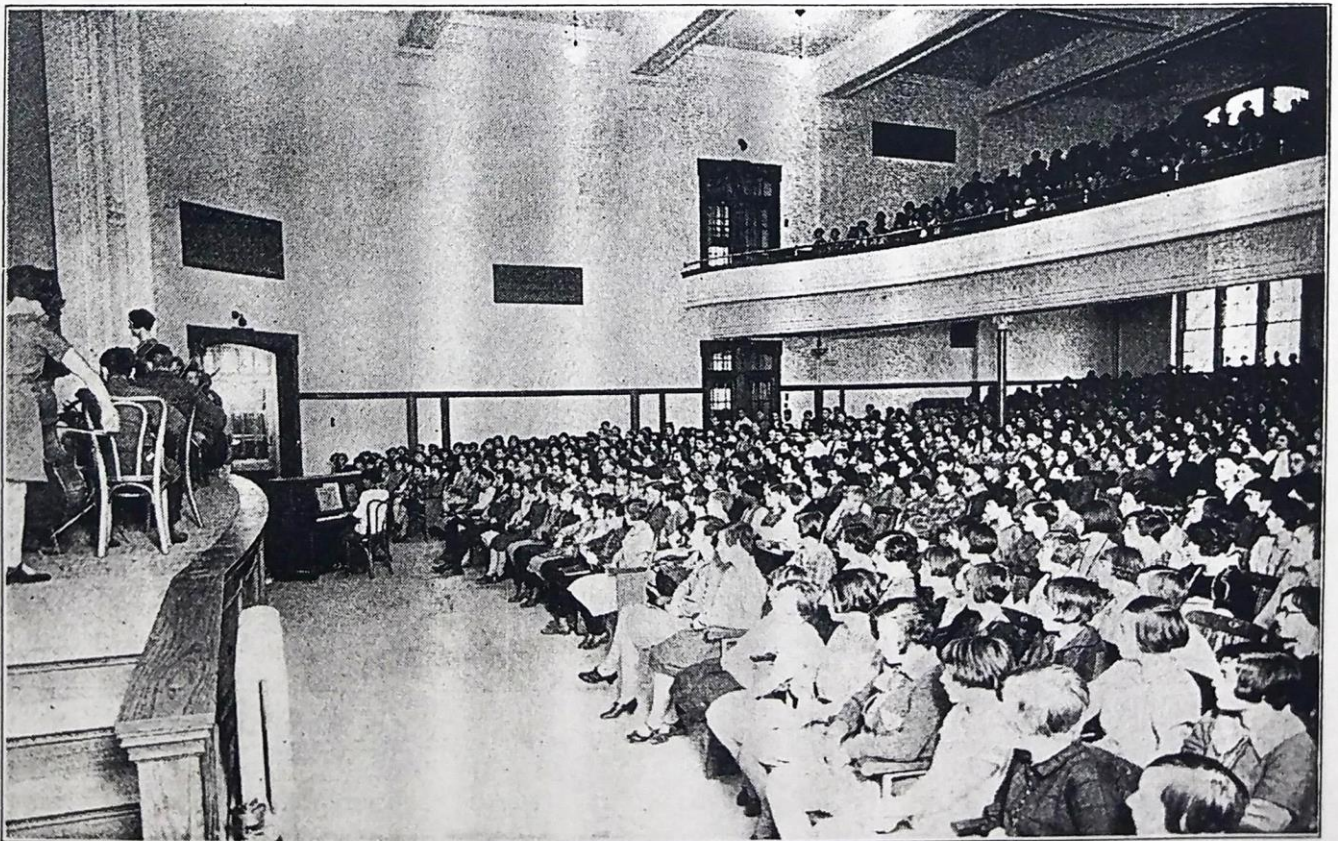
A SCIENCE ROOM IN THE ROOSEVELT JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL



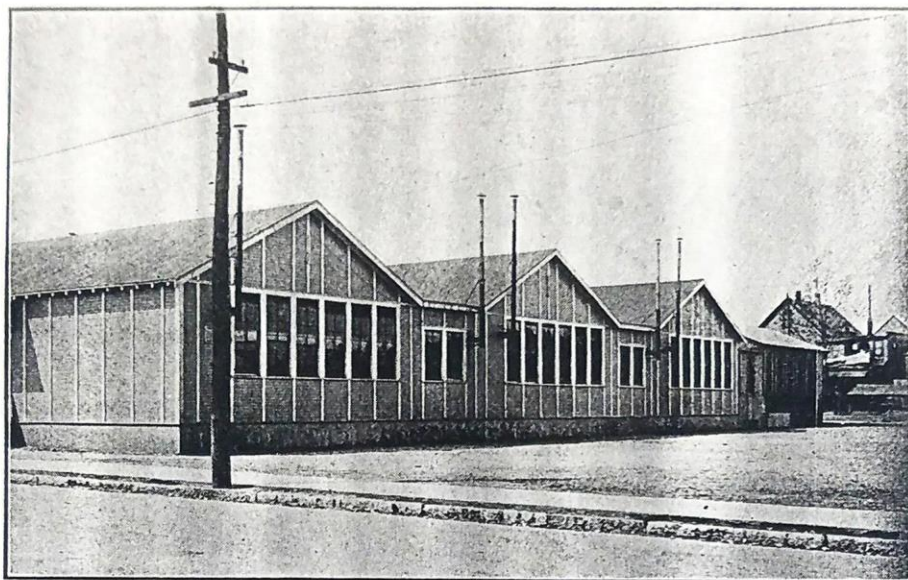
HOUSEHOLD ARTS FOOD LABORATORY, ROOSEVELT JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL



THE LIBRARY OF THE ROOSEVELT JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL



THE AUDITORIUM OF THE ROOSEVELT JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL—The auditorium of this school is used both for assembly and study hall purposes. It has a seating capacity of 1310.



GIRLS' PREVOCATIONAL SCHOOL

*Thirteenth and Hayes
Avenues*

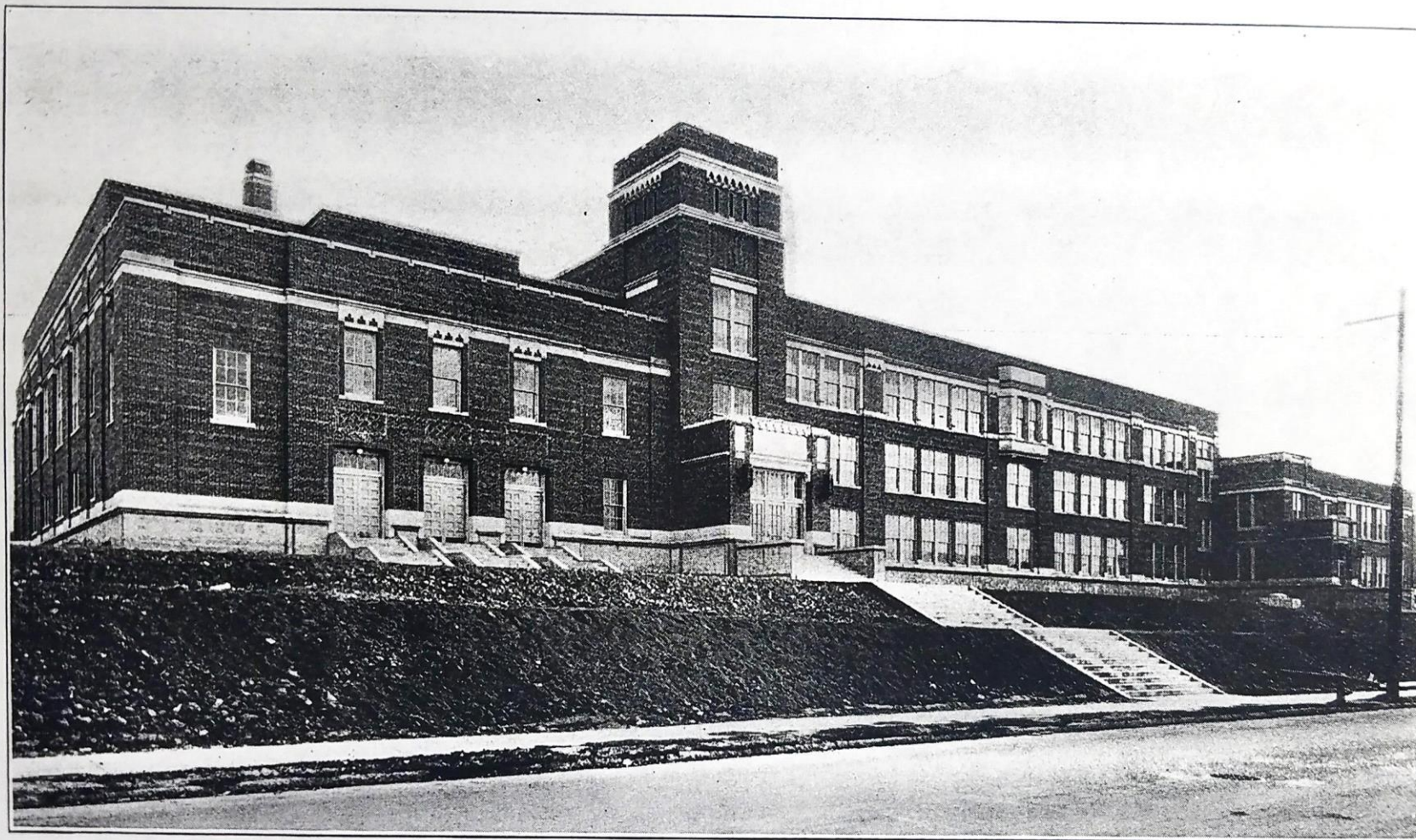
Opened in September, 1923, this special school for girls was established with the same general objectives as the prevocational schools for boys, with particular emphasis upon homemaking. The barrack building which now serves housing purposes contains eight classrooms, an assembly room, and several small special rooms. The building is located on the grounds of the Lincoln Avenue School. The average enrollment for the past year was 220.



KILBOURN PREVOCATIONAL SCHOOL

*Weil Street and
Meinecke Avenue*

This school was opened in the fall of 1923. It was the second of its kind. The building proper is an old four-room structure. A number of barracks were used for prevocational shop purposes. The school is to be moved to new quarters on Humboldt Avenue. The old building will be used to accommodate the newly authorized "School for Women's Work."



KOSCIUSKO PREVOCATIONAL SCHOOL

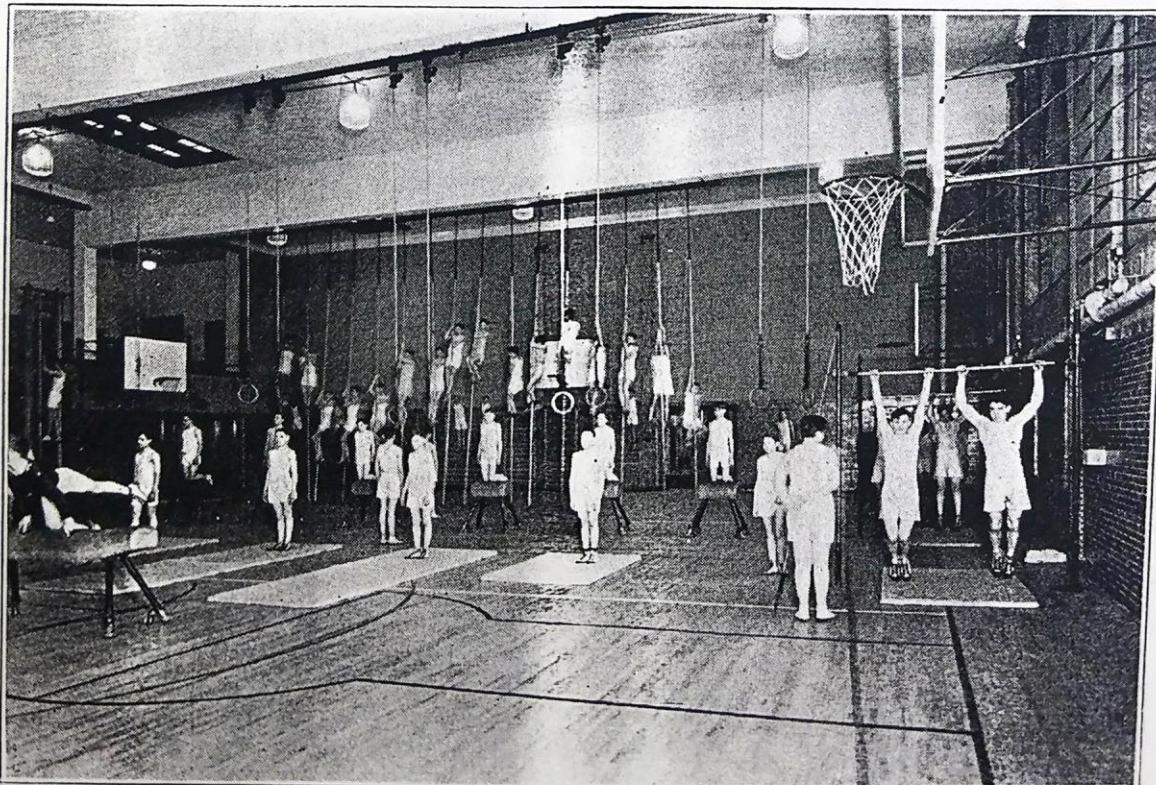
*Windlake and Fifth
Avenues*

educational guidance. The present enrollment is 512. The new thirty-room building which will be opened in September has a capacity of 1000. The cost when completed is estimated at \$638,000.

This school was established in 1922 on the old House of Correction site. It is designed to care for boys who are out of step with the work of the regular school, who are over age, or inclined to physical activity rather than academic effort. It aims not only to make their school life richer and happier but to provide for better



A SOCIAL SCIENCE ROOM IN THE KOSCIUSKO PREVOCATIONAL SCHOOL



THE GYMNASIUM OF THE KOSCIUSKO PREVOCATIONAL SCHOOL

APPENDIX

TABLE I

General Statistics, 1926-27

Schools	No. of Schools	Total Regis- tration	Average Daily Member- ship	Average Daily Attendance	Number of Teachers (Positions)	Number of Principals
Senior High.....	7	12,587	10,752	10,344	412	7
Junior High.....	3	2,051	1,679	1,591	59	2
B. T. H. S.....	1	1,761*	1,333	1,286	64	1
G. T. H. S.....	1	1,206*	934	859	44½	1
Pre-Vocational.....	3	1,169*	956	912	26½	3
Deaf School.....	1	114	101	94	15	..
Elementary.....	78	53,066**	48,658	45,738	1,260	76
Kindergarten.....	85	8,209	7,192	5,664	182	..
Total Regular Day Schools.....	..	80,163	71,605	66,488	2,063	90

*Including high school divisions. For total averages of high school and elementary school divisions, see Table III.

**Not including graduates who passed into the high or trade schools.

TABLE II

Comparison with Previous Year

	1926-27	1925-26	Increase
School Census.....	151,737	149,260	2,477
Total Registration:			
High Schools.....	12,587	12,190	397
Junior High	2,051		2,051
Boys' Tech. High.....	1,761	1,693	68
Girls' Tech. High.....	1,206	1,182	24
Pre-Vocational.....	1,169	1,138	31
School for Deaf.....	114	110	4
Elementary Grades.....	53,066	54,968	1,902 (Decrease)
Kindergarten.....	8,209	7,747	462
Total.....	80,163	79,028	1,135
Average Membership:			
High Schools.....	10,752	10,436	316
Junior High	1,679		1,679
Boys' Tech. High.....	1,333	1,295	38
Girls' Tech. High.....	934	905	29
Pre-Vocational.....	956	804	152
School for Deaf.....	101	96	5
Elementary Grades.....	48,658	49,776	1,118 (Decrease)
Kindergarten.....	7,192	6,872	320
Total.....	71,605	70,184	1,421
Average Daily Attendance:			
High Schools.....	10,344	10,046	298
Junior High	1,591		1,591
Boys' Tech. High.....	1,286	1,237	49
Girls' Tech. High.....	859	822	37
Pre-Vocational.....	912	761	151
School for Deaf.....	94	91	3
Elementary Grades.....	45,738	46,839	1,101 (Decrease)
Kindergarten.....	5,664	5,253	411
Total.....	66,488	65,049	1,439

TABLE III
GENERAL STATISTICS

SCHOOLS	Average Member- ship	Average Daily At- tendance	Number of Teachers June, 1927	Number of Rooms in Building	Number of Class Room Sitings
Bay View High School.....	1,524	1,454	58 4/5	69	2,457
North Div. High School.....	1,551	1,488	62	44	1,357
Riverside High School.....	1,440	1,381	56 3/5	48	1,626
South Div. High School.....	1,578	1,511	61	49	1,709
Washington High School.....	2,299	2,232	87 3/5	82	1,798
West Div. High School.....	1,632	1,578	64	45	1,718
Lincoln High School.....	728	700	29	34	1,153
Peckham Jr. High School.....	269	259	12	12	424
Roosevelt Jr. High School.....	1,145	1,078	38	37	1,306
Lincoln Junior High School.....	265	253	11	34	1,153
Auer Avenue.....	932	861	24	22	956
Bartlett Avenue.....	617	571	15	14	628
Paul Binner School (Deaf).....	101	94	15	14	110
Brown Street.....	832	779	22	21	963
Cass Street.....	1,304	1,202	33	27	1,014
Center Street.....	969	887	23	24	925
Clarke Street.....	843	782	22	21	960
Clybourn Street.....	233	216	6 1/2	6	291
Cold Spring Avenue.....	1,083	1,001	26	23	1,051
Davis Street.....	495	470	13	11	484
Detroit Street.....	1,010	933	27	24	1,090
Dover Street.....	988	919	26	25	1,072
Eighteenth Avenue.....	1,091	998	29	29	1,184
Eighteenth Street.....	1,006	912	23	20	900
Eighth Street.....	727	681	19	18	703
Elm Street.....	357	324	10	8	357
Fernwood.....	429	387	13	11	505
Fifth Avenue.....	697	651	20	17	731
Fifth Street.....	726	676	18	16	729
Forest Home Avenue.....	1,151	1,001	28	27	1,170
Fourteenth Street.....	835	771	22	20	902
Fourth Street.....	641	566	18	17	798

GENERAL STATISTICS—Continued

SCHOOLS	Average Member- ship	Average Daily At- tendance	Number of Teachers June, 1927	Number of Rooms in Building	Number of Class Room Sitzings
Franklin Street.....	1,101	1,022	27	26	979
Fratney Street.....	732	673	18	16	723
Garden Homes.....	149	128	3	3	123
Garfield Avenue.....	515	469	15	14	608
Girls' Pre-Vocational.....	189	176	6½	7	175
Grand Avenue.....	936	859	23	20	1,030
Grant Street.....	894	841	22	19	937
Green Bay Avenue.....	1,017	983	23	21	947
Greenbush Street.....	867	812	22	23	809
Greenfield Avenue.....	638	591	18	18	670
Hanover Street.....	1,064	986	26	27	1,048
Hartford Avenue.....	614	555	17	12	567
Hawley Avenue.....	625	570	15	15	630
Hi-Mount Blvd.....	883	834	21	22	832
Hopkins Street.....	728	675	18	15	676
Humboldt Park.....	509	457	14	13	553
Island Avenue.....	818	745	20	17	760
Jefferson Street.....	663	593	17	16	640
Johnson's Woods.....	228	208	4	4	187
Kagel, A. E.....	800	752	21	20	895
Kilbourn Pre-Vocational.....	255	239	7	6	166
Kosciusko Pre-Vocational.....	512	497	16	15	450
Lapham Park Open Air.....	132	123	6	6	75
Lee Street.....	727	656	22	19	815
Lincoln Avenue.....	767	680	22	21	914
Lisbon Avenue.....	277	253	7½	6	285
Lloyd Street.....	833	759	23	22	948
Madison Street.....	438	394	12	10	489
Maryland Avenue.....	762	690	17	16	685
Morgandale.....	235	218	6½	6	458
Mound Street.....	625	555	17	16	687
Nee-Ska-Ra.....	509	458	15	12	700
Ninth Street.....	920	827	27	25	953
North Pierce Street.....	636	576	15	13	570

GENERAL STATISTICS—Concluded

SCHOOLS	Average Member- ship	Average Daily At- tendance	Number of Teachers June, 1927	Number of Rooms in Building	Number of Class Room Sitings
Oklahoma Avenue.....	788	741	21	20	850
Park Street.....	602	530	16	18	669
Prairie Street.....	708	737	22	22	835
Ring Street.....	1,010	920	25	25	1,070
Scott Street.....	934	866	22	20	874
Second Avenue.....	677	633	19	17	702
Sherman.....	1,016	918	26	24	1,056
Sixteenth Avenue.....	1,015	848	23	22	1,098
State Street.....	108	99	3	3	143
Third Street.....	878	811	23	21	921
Thirty-eighth Street.....	1,270	1,198	30	27	1,167
Thirty-first Street.....	906	829	22	21	877
Thirty-seventh Street.....	989	924	23	20	884
Thirty-sixth Street.....	481	453	10½	10	434
Townsend	236	208	7	5	182
Trowbridge Street.....	798	741	20	19	890
Twelfth Street.....	764	713	19	19	736
Twentieth Street.....	784	728	19	19	777
Twenty-fifth Avenue.....	243	222	7½	7	305
Twenty-first Street.....	790	737	22	20	1,007
Twenty-seventh Avenue.....	472	444	13	12	609
Twenty-seventh Street.....	791	736	22	22	805
Walker Street.....	494	456	12	10	432
Walnut Street.....	480	438	12	10	477
Windlake Avenue.....	813	771	24	23	1,020
Wright Street.....	194	172	6	4	194
Boys' Tech. High School.....	1,333	1,286	65	43	.....
Girls' Trade School.....	934	859	45½	43	.....
Household Arts Teachers.....	.....	.....	36	.....	.....
Manual Training Teachers.....	.....	.....	35	.....	.....
Home Pupils .....	.....	.....	6½	.....	.....
Speech Correction.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Totals.....	71,605	66,488	2,153	1,916	73,022

*Including one principal for each school.

†Including 8 shops.

TABLE IV
Monthly Average Number of Pupils Enrolled in Each of the Several Grades,
1921-22—1926-27

	Monthly Average Number Enrolled						Per Cent of Average No. of Pupils Enrolled					
	1921- 1922	1922- 1923	1923- 1924	1924- 1925	1925- 1926	1926- 1927	1921- 1922	1922- 1923	1923- 1924	1924- 1925	1925- 1926	1926- 1927
Kindergarten.....	6,791	6,868	6,952	6,765	7,088	7,328	10.8	10.5	10.5	10.1	10.1	10.2
Special.....	1,127	1,255	884	801	840	889	1.8	1.9	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.2
Open Air.....	143	139	128	133	152	183	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
Home Pupils.....		65	58	51	69	74		.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
Pre-Vocational.....			740	838	809	361*			1.1	1.3	1.2	.5
First Grade.....	7,521	7,219	7,353	7,083	7,013	7,301	11.9	11.1	11.0	10.5	10.0	10.2
Second Grade.....	6,665	6,639	6,305	6,343	6,296	6,116	10.6	10.2	9.9	9.4	9.0	8.5
Third Grade.....	5,827	6,357	6,266	5,952	6,177	6,036	9.3	9.7	9.4	8.8	8.8	8.4
Fourth Grade.....	5,393	5,670	6,146	5,961	5,960	6,107	8.6	8.7	9.2	8.8	8.5	8.5
Fifth Grade.....	5,139	5,436	5,602	6,164	6,160	5,920	8.2	8.3	8.4	9.1	8.8	8.3
Sixth Grade.....	5,268	5,343	5,504	5,565	6,200	6,178	8.4	8.2	8.3	8.2	9.0	8.6
Seventh Grade.....	5,210	5,414	5,300	5,584	5,696	6,636	8.3	8.3	8.1	8.3	8.1	9.2
Eighth Grade.....	4,674	4,803	4,786	4,929	5,283	5,524	7.5	7.4	7.2	7.2	7.5	7.7
Total Elem. Schools.....	53,758	55,208	56,084	56,169	57,833	58,653	85.6	84.6	84.4	83.2	82.5	81.6
Ninth Grade.....	3,693	3,828	3,856	4,191	4,401	4,640	5.9	5.9	5.8	6.2	6.3	6.5
Tenth Grade.....	2,288	2,650	2,780	3,053	3,311	3,500	3.7	4.1	4.2	4.5	4.7	4.9
Eleventh Grade.....	1,528	1,669	1,797	2,074	2,236	2,438	2.4	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.2	3.4
Twelfth Grade.....	1,178	1,341	1,511	1,566	1,917	2,009	1.9	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.8
Total High Schools.....	8,687	9,488	9,944	10,884	11,865	12,587	13.9	14.8	15.0	16.2	16.9	17.6
Trade Schools**.....	315	404	387	414	445	614	.5	.6	.6	.6	.6	.8
Totals.....	62,760	65,100	66,415	67,467	70,143	71,854	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

**Trade divisions only

*Not including Junior High Schools

TABLE V
POPULATION AND PUPILS

	1917-18	1918-19	1919-20	1920-21	1921-22	1922-23	1923-24	1924-25	1925-26	1926-27
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	1917-18	1918-19	1919-20	1920-21	1921-22	1922-23	1923-24	1924-25	1925-26	1926-27
Total No. of school age according to school census.....	126,321	127,951	130,891	133,625	138,955	140,606	142,725	149,383	149,260	151,737
Whole No. of pupils enrolled in all day schools.....	60,764	62,809	63,507	64,815	69,659	72,201	73,377	75,416	79,228	80,163
High Schools.....	6,426	6,579	7,250	7,731	9,004	9,989	10,309	11,257	12,190	12,587
Junior High.....										2,051
Pre-Vocational.....								1,124	1,138	1,169
District Schools.....	53,280	55,041	54,599	55,284	58,366	59,743	60,575	60,187	62,715	61,275
School for Deaf.....	139	148	160	100	110	107	105	124	110	114
Schools of Trades.....	919	1,041	1,498	1,700	2,179	2,362	2,388	2,724	2,875	2,967
Average No. enrolled, day schools.....	53,860	54,987	56,832	58,382	62,743	65,146	66,269	67,182	70,184	71,605
High Schools.....	5,221	5,425	6,050	6,426	7,880	8,421	8,786	9,620	10,436	10,752
Junior High.....										1,679
Pre-Vocational.....								827	804	956
District Schools.....	47,926	48,729	49,608	50,701	53,095	54,862	55,508	54,509	56,648	55,850
School for Deaf.....	119	145	134	89	97	98	100	119	96	101
Schools of Trades.....	594	688	1,040	1,166	1,671	1,765	1,875	2,107	2,200	2,267
Average daily attendance, day schools.....	48,339	49,074	50,445	53,641	57,696	58,546	61,027	61,675	65,049	66,488
High Schools.....	4,993	5,139	5,789	6,184	7,581	7,980	8,428	9,206	10,046	10,344
Junior High.....										1,591
Pre-Vocational.....								780	761	912
District Schools.....	42,713	43,181	43,589	46,292	48,463	48,852	50,782	49,599	52,092	51,402
School for Deaf.....	104	134	122	86	91	90	94	111	91	94
Schools of Trades.....	529	620	945	1,079	1,561	1,624	1,723	1,979	2,059	2,145